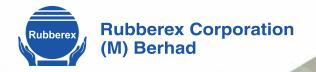






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### **Notice of Annual General Meeting**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Twentieth Annual General Meeting of Rubberex Corporation (M) Berhad will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, 23 May 2016 at The Rooms, Level 1, Impiana Hotel, 18 Jalan Sultan Nazrin Shah, 30250 Ipoh, Perak Darul Ridzuan for the following purposes:-

#### **AGENDA**

1. To receive and adopt the Audited Financial Statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2015 and the Reports of the Directors and the Auditors thereon.

(Resolution 1)

2. To approve the payment of Directors' fees.

(Resolution 2)

To re-elect the following Directors retiring in accordance with Article 91 of the Articles of Association of the Company:-

(i) Encik Sharifuddin Bin Shoib

(Resolution 3)

(ii) Mr. Yap Jek Nan

(Resolution 4)

4. To consider and if thought fit, to pass the following Ordinary Resolution in accordance with Section 129 (6) of the Companies Act, 1965:-

"THAT Dato' Mohamed bin Hamzah, retiring pursuant to Section 129 (6) of the Companies Act, 1965, be and is hereby re-appointed a Director of the Company to hold office until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting."

(Resolution 5)

5. To appoint Auditors and to authorise the Directors to fix their remuneration.

(Resolution 6)

#### **As Special Business**

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following Ordinary Resolutions:-

#### 6. Authority to issue shares pursuant to Section 132D of the Companies Act, 1965

"THAT subject always to the approvals of the relevant authorities, the Directors of the Company be and are hereby empowered pursuant to Section 132D of the Companies Act, 1965 to issue shares in the Company at any time and upon such terms and conditions and for such purposes as the Directors of the Company may in their absolute discretion deem fit, provided that the aggregate number of shares issued pursuant to this resolution does not exceed 10% of the issued capital of the Company as at the date of this Annual General Meeting and that the Directors of the Company be and are hereby empowered to obtain the approval for the listing of and quotation for the additional shares so issued on Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad and that such authority shall continue to be in force until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company."

(Resolution7)



#### Notice of Annual General Meeting (cont'd)

# 7. Proposed Renewal of Authority for RUBBEREX CORPORATION (M) BERHAD to purchase its own ordinary shares of RM0.50 each representing up to 10% of the issued and paid-up share capital of the Company

"THAT, subject to the provisions of the Companies Act, 1965, the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, the Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad and any applicable laws, rules, orders, requirements, regulations and guidelines for the time being in force or as may be amended, modified or re-enacted from time to time and the approvals of all relevant governmental and/or regulatory authorities (if any), the Company be and is hereby authorised to purchase such number of ordinary shares of RMO.50 each in the Company ("Proposed Share Buy-Back") as may be determined by the Directors of the Company ("Directors") from time to time through Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad upon such terms and conditions as the Directors may deem fit, necessary and expedient in the interest of the Company provided that the total aggregate number of shares purchased pursuant to this resolution shall not exceed 10% of the total issued and paid-up share capital of the Company at any point in time of the said purchase(s); and that the Directors of the Company shall allocate an amount of funds which will not be more than the aggregate sum of the retained profits and share premium of the Company for the Proposed Share Buy-Back;

AND THAT upon completion of the purchase by the Company of its own shares, the Directors are authorised to decide at their discretion to cancel all the shares so purchased and/or to retain the shares so purchased as treasury shares of which may be distributed as dividends to shareholders and/or to resell on the market of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad and/or to retain part thereof as treasury shares and cancel the remainder;

AND THAT the Directors be and are hereby authorised and empowered to do all acts and things and to take all such steps and to enter into and execute all commitments, transactions, deeds, agreements, arrangements, undertakings, indemnities, transfers, assignments and/or guarantees as they may deem fit, necessary, expedient and/or appropriate in order to implement, finalise and give full effect to the Proposed Share Buy-Back with full powers to assent to any conditions, modifications, revaluations, variations and/or amendments, as may be required or imposed by any relevant authority or authorities;

AND THAT the Directors be and are hereby empowered immediately upon the passing of this Ordinary Resolution until the conclusion of the next annual general meeting of the Company at which time the authority shall lapse unless by ordinary resolution passed at a general meeting, the authority is renewed either unconditionally or subject to conditions; or the expiration of the period within which the next annual general meeting of the Company is required by law to be held; or the earlier revocation or variation of their authority through a general meeting whichever is the earliest, but not so as to prejudice the completion of purchase(s) by the Company before the aforesaid expiry date."

(Resolution 8)

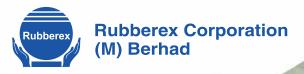
8. To transact any other ordinary business of the Company for which due notice has been given.

By Order of the Board

CHAN CHEE KHEONG (MAICSA 0810287)

Secretary

Ipoh 28 April 2016



#### Notice of Annual General Meeting (cont'd)

#### Notes:

- 1. A member of the Company entitled to attend and vote at the meeting is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote in his stead. A proxy may but need not be a member of the Company and the provision of Section 149 (1) (b) of the Companies Act, 1965 shall not apply to the Company. A member shall not be entitled to appoint more than two proxies to attend at the same meeting. Where a member appoints two proxies, the appointments shall be invalid unless he specifies the proportion of his holdings to be represented by each proxy.
- 2. If a member having appointed a proxy to attend a general meeting attends such meeting in person, the appointment of such proxy shall be null and void in respect of such meeting and his proxy shall not be entitled to attend such meeting.
- 3. Where a member of the Company is an authorised nominee as defined in the Securities Industry (Central Depositories) Act, 1991 ("SICDA"), it may appoint not more than two (2) proxies in respect of each securities account it holds in ordinary shares of the Company standing to the credit of the said securities account.
- 4. Where a member of the Company is an exempt authorised nominee which holds ordinary shares in the Company for multiple beneficial owners in one (1) securities account ("omnibus account"), there is no limit to the number of proxies which the exempt authorised nominee may appoint in respect of each omnibus account it holds. An exempt authorised nominee refers to an authorised nominee defined under SICDA which is exempted from compliance with the provisions of subsection 25A (1) of SICDA.
- 5. Where a member or the authorised nominee appoints two (2) proxies, or where an exempt authorised nominee appoints two (2) or more proxies, the proportion of shareholdings to be represented by each proxy must be specified in the instrument appointing the proxies.
- 6. The instrument appointing a proxy, with the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed or a notarially certified or office copy of such power or authority, shall be deposited at the Company's registered office at 41, Jalan Medan Ipoh 6, Bandar Baru Medan Ipoh, 31400 Ipoh, Perak Darul Ridzuan not less than forty eight (48) hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting or adjourned meeting, as the case may be, at which the person named as proxy in such instrument proposes to vote, or in the case of a poll, not less than twenty four (24) hours before the time appointed for the taking of the poll, and in default the instrument of proxy shall not be treated as valid.
- 7. For the purpose of determining a member who shall be entitled to attend this meeting, the Company shall be requesting the Bursa Malaysia Depository Sdn. Bhd. to make available to the Company pursuant to Article 58A (b) of the Articles of Association of the Company and Paragraph 7.16 (2) of the Main Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad, a Record of Depositors as at 13 May 2016 and only a Depositor whose name appear on such Record of Depositors shall be entitled to attend this meeting.





#### Notice of Annual General Meeting (cont'd)

#### **Explanatory Notes To Special Business:**

## Resolution 7 Authority to issue shares pursuant to Section 132D of the Companies Act, 1965

The proposed adoption of the Resolution 7 is primarily to give flexibility to the Board of Directors to issue shares to such persons at any time in their absolute discretion without convening a general meeting. This authorisation will expire at the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting of the Company.

The purpose of this general mandate is for possible fund-raising exercises including but not limited to further placement of shares, for purpose of funding current and/or future investment project(s), working capital, repayment of borrowings and/or acquisitions.

#### 2. Resolution 8

Proposed Renewal of Authority for RUBBEREX CORPORATION (M) BERHAD to purchase its own ordinary shares of RM0.50 each representing up to 10% of the issued and paid-up share capital of the Company

The resolution if passed, will empower the Directors of the Company to purchase the Company's shares up to ten percent (10%) of the issued and paid-up share capital of the Company by utilising the funds allocated which shall not exceed the total retained profits and share premium of the Company. Please refer to the Share Buy-Back Statement dated 28 April 2016, which is dispatched together with the Company's Annual Report 2015.

Please refer to the Circular to Shareholders dated 28 April 2016 for further information.



#### **Corporate Information**

**DIRECTORS** Y. Bhg. Dato' Abd Rahim bin Abd Halim

Chairman

Y. Bhg. Dato' Mohamed bin Hamzah

Deputy Chairman

Khoo Chin Leng *Managing Director* 

Sharifuddin bin Shoib

Mustapha bin Mohamed

Poh Choo Lim

Yap Jek Nan

**COMPANY SECRETARY** Chan Chee Kheong

MAICSA 0810287

**AUDITOR** Deloitte

**Chartered Accountants** 

PRINCIPAL BANKERS HSBC Bank Malaysia Berhad

RHB Bank Berhad

Hong Leong Bank Berhad

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited

HSBC Bank (China) Limited China Construction Bank Limited United Overseas Bank (China) Limited

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Perak Darul Ridzuan.

**STOCK EXCHANGE LISTING** Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad (Main Market)

Stock name: RUBEREX Stock code: 7803

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#### **Directors' Profile**

**Dato' Abd Rahim bin Abd Halim**, aged 67, a Malaysian, is a non-independent non-executive Chairman of the Company. He was appointed to the Board on 09 August 2002 and assumed his current position on 27 August 2014. He was also appointed as Chairman of the Remuneration Committee on 27 August 2014. Dato' Abd Rahim bin Abd Halim holds a Bachelor of Economics (Honours) degree from the University of Malaya and has served in several senior positions in the Ministry of International Trade and Industry (MITI) and Daihatsu Malaysia Sdn Bhd (DMSB). In 1978, Dato' Abd Rahim bin Abd Halim joined Med-Bumikar Mara Sdn Bhd as the Director/General Manager and he has extensive experience in the motor vehicle industry where he was also the founder Director of Daihatsu Malaysia Sdn Bhd, the sole franchise holder for Daihatsu motor vehicles in Malaysia. Formerly the Managing Director of MBM Resources Berhad, he is currently its Chairman. Dato' Abd Rahim bin Abd Halim is also on the Board of several private companies including Perusahaan Otomobil Kedua Sdn Bhd ("Perodua") and Oriental Metal Industries (M) Sdn Bhd, where he is presently the Chairman.

Dato' Abd Rahim bin Abd Halim does not have any family relationship or conflict of interest with any other director or substantial shareholder of the Company, other than his shareholding interests disclosed in this report. He has not been convicted of any offences in the past ten years, other than traffic offences, if any.

**Dato' Mohamed bin Hamzah**, aged 75, a Malaysian, is an independent non-executive director of the Company. He was appointed to the Board of the Company on 24 October 1996 and served as Chairman from 30 November 1998 to 27 August 2014 after which he opted for the re-designation of Deputy Chairman. He is currently the Chairman of the Audit Committee and a member of the Nomination and Remuneration Committees of the Board. Dato' Mohamed bin Hamzah obtained a Bachelor of Arts (Economics) degree from University of Malaya in 1965 and a Masters degree in Business Administration from University of Edinburgh, United Kingdom in 1975. Dato' Mohamed bin Hamzah spent 25 years of his career as a Government officer in the Diplomatic and Administrative Service where is also served as the Deputy-Secretary General of the Ministry of Transport and Director of Land and Mines, Perak from 1984 to 1991. He was also on the Board of Perak State Development Corporation from 1984 to 1990 and served as Deputy Chairman of Klang Port Commission, Director of Penang Port and Klang Container Terminal from 1990 to 1991.

In 1991, Dato' Mohamed bin Hamzah retired optionally from the government service to join IGB Corporation Berhad as the Chief Operating Officer for the Perak operations of its property related business. He is currently the Chairman of Clearwater Sanctuary Golf Management Bhd which owns and operates a recreational resort for golf in Batu Gajah, Perak.

Dato' Mohamed bin Hamzah does not have any family relationship or conflict of interest with any other director or substantial shareholder of the Company, other than his shareholding interests disclosed in this report. He has not been convicted of any offences in the past ten years, other than traffic offences, if any.

Mr. Khoo Chin Leng, aged 56, a Malaysian, is a non-independent Managing Director of the Company and was appointed to the Board of the Company on 01 July 2013. He is a member of the Malaysian Institute of Accountants and a Fellow Member of the Chartered Association of Certified Accountants (FCCA), United Kingdom. Mr. Khoo Chin Leng joined Rubberex (M) Sdn Berhad, a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company, in 1988 as the Accountant and has held various positions within the Finance Division of the Group. Mr. Khoo Chin Leng was instrumental in the set-up of the Group's subsidiary companies in China and has been active in its operations since 2005. These subsidiary companies are mainly involved in the manufacture and sales of industrial gloves and vinyl disposable gloves. Prior to joining Rubberex (M) Sdn Berhad, he was attached to IJM Corporation Berhad, as its Accountant for 5 years.

Mr. Khoo Chin Leng does not have any family relationship or conflict of interest with any other director or substantial shareholder of the Company, other than his shareholding interests disclosed in this report. He has not been convicted of any offences in the past ten years, other than traffic offences, if any.





Directors' Profile (cont'd)

En. Sharifuddin bin Shoib, aged 69, a Malaysian, is a non-independent non-executive director of the Company. He was appointed to the Board of the Company on 24 October 1996. He is also a Member of the Remuneration Committee and was appointed a Member of the Audit Committee of the Board on 27 August 2014. En. Sharifuddin bin Shoib holds a Bachelor of Engineering (Mechanical) degree from Australia which was obtained in 1974 and is a member of the Institute of Engineers Malaysia. He has been a board member of Rubberex (M) Sdn Berhad, a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company, since inception. En. Sharifuddin bin Shoib had previously joined Dijaya Corporation Bhd as Factory Manager in July 1983 and was promoted to General Manager and subsequently to Executive Director from August 1991 to June 1994. Prior to joining Dijaya, he held various positions in UAC Berhad from 1970 to 1983. He was the Deputy Manager in Heavy Industries Corporation of Malaysia Berhad (HICOM) from January 1983 to July 1983 and a former non-executive Chairman of Rubber Thread Industries (M) Sdn Bhd ("RTI") in Ipoh, Perak. Currently, En. Sharifuddin bin Shoib is a non-executive Chairman of OKA Corporation Berhad which is primarily involved in the manufacture and sale of pre-cast concrete products and ready-mixed concrete.

En. Sharifuddin bin Shoib does not have any family relationship or conflict of interest with any other director or substantial shareholder of the Company, other than his shareholding interests disclosed in this report. He has not been convicted of any offences in the past ten years, other than traffic offences, if any.

**En. Mustapha bin Mohamed,** aged 70, a Malaysian, is an independent non-executive director of the Company, appointed since 11 April 2008. He is also a member of the Audit Committee, Remuneration Committee and Nomination Committee of the Board. He is a Fellow Member of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants, a Chartered Accountant with the Malaysian Institute of Accountants and Certified Public Accountants (Malaysia). En. Mustapha bin Mohamed was previously with Coopers & Lybrand Malaysia (now known as Pricewaterhouse Coopers) for 22 years from 1971 to 1993 of which he was a Partner from 1987 to 1993. He previously served as director of Gadek Berhad, Gadek Capital Berhad, Ipmuda Berhad, Credit Corporation of Malaysia Berhad, Ho Hup Construction Company Berhad and MHC Plantations Berhad. He is currently a director of Majuperak Holdings Berhad and MBM Resources Berhad and is also involved in his own business, providing advisory services in relation to his own profession.

En. Mustapha bin Mohamed does not have any family relationship or conflict of interest with any other director or substantial shareholder of the Company, other than his shareholding interests disclosed in this report. He has not been convicted of any offences in the past ten years, other than traffic offences, if any.

*Mr. Poh Choo Lim,* aged 67, a Malaysian, is a non-independent non-executive director of the Company. He was appointed to the Board on 18 June 2001. He is the Chairman of the Nomination Committee. Currently, Mr. Poh Choo Lim is involved in the housing and development industry as well as the hotel management business. He is the Executive Director of Aun Huat & Brothers Sdn Bhd and Grand View Hotel in Ipoh, Perak. Mr. Poh Choo Lim is also the Chairman of Gunung Lang Development Sdn Bhd, a housing development company in Ipoh, Perak.

Mr. Poh Choo Lim does not have any family relationship or conflict of interest with any other director or substantial shareholder of the Company, other than his shareholding interests disclosed in this report. He has not been convicted of any offences in the past ten years, other than traffic offences, if any.

*Mr. Yap Jek Nan*, aged 51, a Malaysian, is an independent non-executive director of the Company. He was appointed to the Board of the Company on 24 October 1996. After completing his studies in the United States in 1988, he spent 10 years working in manufacturing and property development companies within the IGB Corporation Berhad group of companies. He is currently a director of MBM Land Sdn Bhd, a property development company in Ipoh, Perak.

Mr. Yap Jek Nan does not have any family relationship or conflict of interest with any other director or substantial shareholder of the Company, other than his shareholding interests disclosed in this report. He has not been convicted of any offences in the past ten years, other than traffic offences, if any.



#### **Chairman's Statement**

#### Introduction

On behalf of the Board, I am pleased to present the Annual Report of the Company for the financial year ended 31 December 2015.

It was another eventful year for the Rubberex Group. Our operations in Malaysia and China continued with product expansion to major markets in Europe as well as North and South America. While sluggish economic conditions in the Eurozone continue to prevail, the decline in crude oil prices and the slowdown of economic activities in China have created much uncertainties and dampened demand, the Group was able to weather these challenges through our proactive marketing strategies.

During the year, the strengthening of the U.S. Dollar and to a lesser extent, the Euro, had a positive direct effect on our revenue stream. Favourable raw material prices such as latex and plastic resin, have also contributed positively to the overall high product margins. However, intense competition and foreign exchange risks remain as large concerns.

Against this backdrop, the Group managed to achieve a marked improvement in pretax profits despite a marginal increase in turnover for the financial year just ended.

#### **Financial Results**

The Group achieved a sales turnover of RM300.2 million in 2015, a slight increase from the previous year of RM296.4 million. However, the Group's pretax profit improved by 23% from RM16.5 million in the 2014 to RM20.3 million in the financial year just ended. Our biggest revenue contributor remains the vinyl disposable gloves segment in China which alone contributed to 46% of the Group's turnover. Overall demand for the Group's products remains stable; we have maintained our marketing policies to focus on premium customers and market segments that have proven to yield higher profit margins.

The performances of our Malaysian and European operations were commendable, supported by favourable raw material prices and exchange rates, as well as better capacity utilization that played a part in enhancing profit margins.

Complementing all these improvements and developments, the Group has also benefited from the weakening of the local currency; the Ringgit slid by 22% to an average of RM4.29 per USD at year-end compared to RM3.51 at the beginning of the year.

On the whole, the Group performance in 2015 was commendable; earnings before interests, taxes, depreciation and amortization (EBITDA) improved from RM38.0 million in 2014 to RM44.9 million in 2015, an increase of 18%. Our net cash position was also satisfactory, with a positive balance of RM14.3 million as at 31 December 2015.

#### **Dividends**

The Board will continue with its policy of paying dividends as long as Group performance and cashflow positions are satisfactory. Two interim dividends were declared and paid in 2015; the first interim of 1.5 sen single tier (nominal value of RM0.50 each) on 10 July 2015 and the second of another 1.5 sen single tier on 22 December 2015. Total dividend paid out during the year amounted to approximately RM6.8 million.





#### Chairman's Statement (cont'd)

#### **Future prospects**

The outlook for financial year 2016 remains promising but also challenging in the light of volatile foreign exchange and rising labour costs. Demand for the Group's traditional products, which are the general-purpose and industrial gloves, is expected to remain stable, as improvements in hygiene and living standards around the world would likely give rise to higher utilization of these gloves in most households and factories. Steady demand and ready markets of these gloves shall be the mainstay of our established Malaysian operations.

In China, our vinyl disposable gloves segment has shown gradual improvements since the end of the previous financial year, despite the slowdown and unfavourable outlook of the China economy. Smaller producers of these gloves in the country are facing sustainability problems and this placed downward pressures on our selling prices. The Group's emphasis on medical-grade gloves and premium customers have yielded positive results and this strategy shall predominate in 2016.

In our quest to keep abreast with changing market trends, health and regulatory requirements as well as customer preferences, since late 2014, the Group has embarked on an expansion to include new production lines for nitrile disposable gloves in its repertoire of glove types. This new product has been launched into the market with encouraging results. Currently, the installed annual capacity of our plant has reached one billion pieces and as the production lines achieve higher utilization, the Board and Management believe that our nitrile disposable gloves segment shall contribute more significantly to the profitability and earnings base of the Group for financial year 2016.

#### Appreciation and acknowledgment

On behalf of the Board, I wish to express our sincere appreciation to the management and staff of the Group for their hard work and dedication. Our thanks also go towards the Malaysian and Chinese governments, the relevant authorities, our customers, shareholders, bankers, advisors and business associates for their valued support and assistance.

Thank you.

Dato' Abd Rahim bin Abd Halim

Chairman

23 March 2016



#### **Audit Committee Report**

#### **MEMBERS OF THE AUDIT COMMITTEE**

Dato' Mohamed bin Hamzah (Chairman, Independent Non-Executive Director)

Mustapha bin Mohamed (Independent Non-Executive Director)
Sharifuddin bin Shoib (Non-Independent Non-Executive Director)

#### TERMS OF REFERENCE OF THE AUDIT COMMITTEE

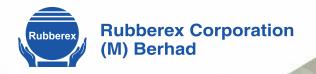
#### 1. MEMBERSHIP

- 1.1 An independent Audit Committee exists to implement and support the functions of the Board. The Committee shall be appointed by the Board of Directors from amongst the Directors of the Company and shall consist of not less than three (3) members;
- 1.2 All members of the Audit Committee must be non-executive directors, with a majority of them, including the Chairman of the Audit Committee, being independent directors and at least one member of the Committee:-
  - (a) must be a member of the Malaysian Institute of Accountants; or
  - (b) has at least three years working experience and
    - (i) has passed the examinations specified in Part 1 of the First Schedule of the Accountants Act 1967, or
    - (ii) is a member of one of the Associations of Accountants specified in Part II of the First Schedule of the Accountants Act 1967, or
  - (c) fulfils such other requirements as prescribed and approved by Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad;
- 1.3 No Alternate Directors shall be appointed as a member of the Audit Committee;
- 1.4 The Chairman of the Audit Committee shall be elected amongst their members and is an independent non-executive Director:
- 1.5 If a member of the Audit Committee resigns or for any reason ceases to be a member with a result that the number of members is reduced below three, the Board of Directors shall, within three months appoint such number of new members as may be required to make up the minimum of three members; and
- 1.6 The Board of Directors shall review the terms of office and performance of the Audit Committee and of each of its members at least once every three years to determine whether the Audit Committee and its members have carried out their duties within the terms of reference.

#### 2. OBJECTIVES

The primary objectives of the Audit Committee are:

- (a) to assist the Board of Directors in discharging its responsibilities relating to the Group's and the Company's management of principal risks, internal controls, financial reporting and compliance of statutory and legal requirements; and
- (b) to maintain through regularly scheduled meetings, a line of communication between the Board of Directors, senior management, internal auditors and external auditors.





#### Audit Committee Report (cont'd)

#### 3. RIGHTS AND AUTHORITY

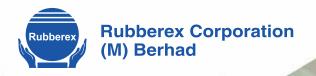
The Audit Committee shall:

- (a) have authority to investigate any matter within its terms of reference;
- (b) have the resources which are required to perform its duties;
- (c) have full and unrestricted access to information, records and documents relevant to its activities;
- (d) have direct communication channels with the external and internal auditors;
- (e) be able to engage, consult and obtain outside legal or other independent professional advice and to secure the attendance of outsiders with relevant experience and expertise if it considers necessary; and
- (f) be able to convene meetings with external auditors, internal auditors, or both, excluding the attendance of other directors and employees of the Company or of the Group, whenever deemed necessary.

#### 4. FUNCTIONS AND DUTIES

The duties and responsibilities of the Audit Committee shall be to review the following and report to the Board of Directors:

- (a) With the external auditors:
  - (i) their audit plans and audit reports;
  - (ii) their evaluation of the system of internal controls;
  - (iii) their audit fee and matters concerning their suitability for nomination, appointment and reappointment;
  - (iv) the management letter and management's response arising from audit; and
  - (v) any other issues and reservations arising from audit.
- (b) With the internal auditors:
  - (i) the adequacy and relevance of the scope, functions, competency and resources of the internal audit function and that it has the necessary authority to carry out its work; and
  - (ii) the internal audit programme and results of internal audit processes including actions taken and/or recommendations.
- (c) The quarterly results and year-end financial statement, prior to the approval of the Board of Directors, focusing particularly on:
  - (i) changes in or implementation of major accounting policies and practices;
  - (ii) significant and unusual events;
  - (iii) significant adjustments arising from audit;
  - (iv) the going concern assumption; and
  - (v) compliance with accounting standards, regulatory and other legal requirements.
- (d) The propriety of any related party transaction and conflict of interest situation that may arise within the Company or the Group including any transaction, procedure or course of conduct that raise questions of management integrity; and
- (e) Any other functions and duties as may be agreed by the Audit Committee and the Board of Directors from time to time.





#### Audit Committee Report (cont'd)

#### **MEETINGS OF THE AUDIT COMMITTEE**

- 1. The Chairman of the Audit Committee shall report on each meeting to the Board of Directors and the Secretary of the Audit Committee shall be the Company Secretary;
- 2. The Secretary of the Audit Committee shall be entrusted with the circulation of the agenda and notice of meetings prior to each meeting and shall record all proceedings and minutes of Audit Committee meetings;
- 3. The quorum for an Audit Committee meeting shall be at least two members and the majority of members present must be independent directors;
- 4. Audit Committee meetings shall be held not less than four times a year and internal or external auditors may attend the meetings upon the invitation of the Audit Committee;
- 5. At least twice a year, the Audit Committee shall meet with the external auditors without the presence of any executive directors and management of the Company to deliberate on the audit plans, summaries of findings and any other matters directly affecting the Company and the Group; and
- 6. Four Audit Committee meetings were held during the financial year ended 31 December 2015. The attendance record of each member is as follows:-

Dato' Mohamed bin Hamzah	4/4
Mustapha bin Mohamed	4/4
Sharifuddin bin Shoib	3/4

#### **SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES OF THE AUDIT COMMITTEE**

The main activities of the Audit Committee in the financial year ended 31 December 2015 were as follows:

- 1. Reviewed the adequacy and relevance of the scope, functions, resources, audit plans and results of audit processes, with the external and internal auditors;
- 2. Reviewed the audit reports and major findings prepared by the external and internal auditors, and management's responses thereto;
- 3. Reviewed the quarterly financial reports and year-end financial statements of the Company and of the Group and thereafter submitting them to the Board of Directors for consideration and approval;
- 4. Reviewed the latest changes of pronouncement issued by accountancy, statutory and regulatory bodies on matters generally relevant to the Audit Committee;
- 5. Reported to the Board of Directors any significant issues and concerns discussed during the Committee's meetings with external and internal auditors, and where appropriate, made the necessary recommendations to the Board;
- 6. Reviewed the Company's and the Group's compliance with the listing requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad;





#### Audit Committee Report (cont'd)

#### **SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES OF THE AUDIT COMMITTEE** (cont'd)

- 7. Considered and recommended to the Board of Directors for approval, the audit fees payable to the external and internal auditors; and
- 8. Prepared the Audit Committee Report for inclusion in the Company's Annual Report.

#### SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES OF THE INTERNAL AUDIT FUNCTION

The main activities of the Internal Audit function in the financial year ended 31 December 2015 were as follows:

- 1. Reviewed the draft quarterly financial reports and year-end financial statements with Management and Audit Committee;
- Carried out risk management and review of key business areas including credit and liquidity risks, cash flows, foreign exchange risks and other evaluations of internal control systems, accounting and management information systems;
- 3. Ensured the compliance of the Company's and of the Group's practices with established policies, procedures, laws and regulations and where applicable, recommended corrective actions to improve control processes. The Internal Audit function also followed-up on these actions to ensured correct and adequate implementation;
- 4. Issued periodic internal audit reports to the Audit Committee members and Management;
- 5. Followed up on any compliance issues raised by the external auditors in the course of audit and considered management's corrective actions thereof;
- 6. Attended Audit Committee meetings to table and discuss the internal audit activities carried out and deliberated on the adequacies and summaries of audit results;
- 7. Performed other ad-hoc examinations and reviews as requested by the Audit Committee and the Board, as appropriate.

All internal audit activities for the financial year ended 31 December 2015 were conducted by an in-house audit team and no areas of the Internal Audit function were outsourced. The total costs incurred for the internal audit function during the year amounted to RM174,532.



### **Statement of Corporate Governance**

Rubberex believes in good corporate governance in the conduct of its operations, dealings with third parties and financial management of the organisation and recognises its importance to protect the interests of the Company's shareholders, including those of the minority shareholders.

The following are statements on application of the principles laid down in the Malaysian Code on Corporate Governance 2012 ("Code"). The Company has, throughout the financial year ended 31 December 2015, complied with the Code.

#### THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

#### **Principal Duties**

The Board takes full responsibility for the overall performance of the Company and the Group by setting the vision and objectives and by directing the policies, strategic action plans and stewardship of the Group's resources. It focuses mainly on strategies, financial performance and critical business issues.

#### **Composition of the Board**

The Board is made up of one executive director and six non-executive directors, three of which are independent directors. The Managing Director, Khoo Chin Leng has many years of experience in the Group's core businesses. The Group is focused on the gloves business and the intimate knowledge and vast experiences of the management team in the business has enabled the Group to achieve leadership positions in its chosen industry.

The non-executive directors are individuals of calibre and credibility, including some with vast varied experiences and seniority. The non-executive directors are actively involved in various Board committees. They provide a broader view, independent assessment and opinions on management proposals.

Although a relatively small Board, it provides an effective blend of entrepreneurship, business and professional expertise. The Board has at least four regularly scheduled meetings annually. Board meetings bring an independent judgement to bear on issues of strategy, performance, resources and standards of conduct.

#### **Directors' Training**

All directors, including non-independent directors, have attended and completed the Mandatory Accreditation Programme as prescribed by Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad. The directors, either collectively or individually, have also attended various public talks and training sessions to keep abreast with developments in the business environment as well as to assist them in discharging their duties more effectively. Some of these training sessions were as follows:-

- MIA Conference 2015; and
- 2016 Budget Tax Proposals

#### **Board Meetings**

Four Board Meetings were held during the financial year ended 31 December 2015. The attendance record of each director during the year was as follows:

Name	Attendance
Dato' Abd Rahim bin Abd Halim	4/4
Dato' Mohamed bin Hamzah	4/4
Khoo Chin Leng	4/4
Sharifuddin bin Shoib	3/4
Mustapha bin Mohamed	4/4
Poh Choo Lim	4/4
Yap Jek Nan	3/4



#### Board Meetings (cont'd)

The Board composition in respect of the ratio of independent directors is three or one-third of the Board, in compliance with Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad's Listing Requirements.

The roles of the Chairman and the Managing Director are distinct and separate with responsibilities clearly drawn out to ensure a balance of power and authority. Generally, an executive director is responsible for making and implementing operational decisions. Non-executive directors play a key supporting role, contributing their knowledge and experience towards the formulation of policies and in the decision-making process.

There is also balance in the Board with the presence of independent directors who are individuals of credibility and repute and who demonstrate objectivity and clear independence of judgement.

#### **Supply of information**

All Board members are supplied with information in a timely manner. Board reports are circulated prior to the Board Meetings to enable the Directors to obtain further information and explanation, where necessary, before the meetings.

The Board reports provide, amongst others, periodical financial and corporate information, significant operational, financial and corporate issues, performance of business units and management proposals that require Board's approval, including the annual Group budget.

The Board has the service of a Company Secretary who ensures that all appointments are properly made, that all necessary information is obtained from the Directors, both for the Company's own records and for the purposes of meeting statutory requirements as well as obligations arising from the Listing Requirements or other regulatory requirements. The Company Secretary is also charged with highlighting all issues that he feels ought to be brought to the Board's attention.

Besides the Company Secretary, independent directors also have unfettered access to the financial officers and internal auditors of the Company.

In exercising their duties, Board committees are entitled to obtain professional opinions or advice from external consultants such as investment bankers, valuers, human resource consultants, etc.

#### **Appointment of Directors**

The Nomination Committee has three (3) member comprising two independent non-executive directors and one non-independent non-executive director. This Committee is responsible for making recommendations for any appointments to the Board. In making these recommendations, the Nomination Committee considers the required mix of skills, contribution, experience and diversity, including gender diversity, which the directors should bring to the Board. Any new nomination received is forwarded to the full Board for assessment and endorsement.

The Nomination Committee comprises the following directors:

Poh Choo Lim (Chairman) Dato' Mohamed bin Hamzah Mustapha bin Mohamed





#### Re-election

Under the existing provisions of the Company's Articles of Association, one third of the directors are required to retire from office by rotation at least once every three years and subject to re-election at each Annual General Meeting.

#### **Directors' Remuneration**

The Company's remuneration scheme is linked to performance, service seniority, experience and scope of responsibilities. The Remuneration Committee of the Company comprises the following directors:

Dato' Abd Rahim bin Abd Halim (Chairman) Dato' Mohamed bin Hamzah Sharifuddin bin Shoib Mustapha bin Mohamed

The Committee ascertains and approves remuneration packages of executive directors and senior management in accordance with the Company's policy guidelines and with reference to external benchmark reports.

Fees for non-executive directors are determined by the full Board with the approval from shareholders at the Annual General Meeting. Individual directors affected are not involved in the approval of their own packages.

The details of the remuneration of directors of the Company comprising remuneration received or receivable from the Company and subsidiary companies during the financial year ended 31 December 2015 are as follows:-

1. Aggregate remuneration of directors of the Company categorised into appropriate components:

	Emoluments	Fees	Total
	RM	RM	RM
Executive Director Non-executive Directors	572,020	-	572,020
	-	198,975	198,975

2. Number of Directors whose remuneration falls into the following bands:

Range of remuneration	Executive	Non-executive
Below RM50,000	-	6
RM500,001 to RM600,000	1	-





#### **ACCOUNTABILITY AND AUDIT**

#### **Directors' Responsibility for the Annual Audited Financial Statements**

The Directors are responsible for ensuring that the Company keeps proper accounting records and that the accounts and other financial reports are prepared in accordance with the Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards and the provisions of the Companies Act, 1965, in Malaysia.

#### **Financial Reporting**

A comprehensive Annual Report is published and sent to all shareholders at the end of each financial year. Through the Chairman's Statement, Directors' Report, financial highlights and key performance indicators, the shareholders are informed about the operations of the Group. On a quarterly basis, the Company also releases to Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad, details of the Group's performance for the information of the public and shareholders.

#### **Shareholders**

Shareholders are kept informed of all material business matters affecting the Group through disclosures to Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad and press releases where appropriate. The Annual General Meeting, is also a means of communicating with shareholders. At the Meeting, members of the Board as well as the Auditors of the Company are present to answer questions raised by the shareholders.

Any gueries or concerns with regards to the Rubberex Group may be addressed to the following person:-

Chan Chee Kheong, Company Secretary

Tel no.: 605 548 0888 Fax no.: 605 545 9222

#### **Internal Control**

The Internal Audit department has been established internally to assist the Audit Committee in discharging its duties and responsibilities. The role of the Internal Audit department is to provide the Committee with independent and objective reports on the state of internal controls of the various operating functions within the Group and the extent of compliance of the functions with established policies and procedures.

Throughout the financial year, audit assignments were carried out and completed by the Internal Audit department. Audit reports were issued with regard to system and control weaknesses noted in the course of the audit and management's responses on the audit findings. The Internal Audit department also followed up on implementation and disposition of all findings and recommendations. The total costs incurred for the internal audit function during the year amounted to RM174,532.

#### **Audit Committee**

The Company has an Audit Committee whose composition meets the Listing Requirements i.e. two independent directors forming the majority and a member that is a qualified accountant. The Audit Committee meets periodically to carry out its functions and duties pursuant to its terms of reference. Other Board members also attend meetings upon the invitation of the Audit Committee.

#### **Relationship with External Auditors**

The Audit Committee meets with the external auditors at least twice during the year and maintains an appropriate relationship that is both formal and transparent.



#### OTHER INFORMATION

#### **Utilisation of Proceeds**

The Company did not carry out any corporate exercise to raise funds during the financial year.

#### **Share Buy-backs**

A total of 25,000 shares were bought back and retained as treasury shares during the financial year as set out below:

Month	No. of shares purchased and retained as Treasury Shares	Highest price paid RM	Lowest price paid RM	Average price paid # RM	Total consideration paid RM
May November	10,000 15.000	0.7100 0.7850	0.7100 0.7850	0.7155 0.7910	7,155 11,866
November	13,000	0.7630	0.7630	0.7910	11,000
	25,000	0.7850	0.7100	0.7608	19,021

<sup>#</sup> inclusive of brokerage, commission, clearing house fee and stamp duty

Treasury shares resold on Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad during the financial year are also set out below:

Month	No. of Treasury Shares sold	Highest price sold RM	Lowest price sold RM	Average price sold # RM	Total consideration received RM
June	100,000	0.7550	0.7550	0.7492	74,920
July	150,000	0.8000	0.8000	0.7964	119,460
August	250,000	0.8200	0.8050	0.8118	202,962
Sept	100,000	0.7350	0.7350	0.7294	72,935
Oct	670,000	0.8150	0.7300	0.7615	510,194
November	322,200	0.8850	0.8450	0.8696	280,173
December	415,000	0.8550	0.8200	0.8348	346,457
	2,007,200	0.8850	0.7300	0.8007	1,607,101

<sup>#</sup> inclusive of brokerage, commission, clearing house fee and stamp duty





#### OTHER INFORMATION (cont'd)

#### **Options, Warrants and Convertible Securities**

No options have been granted by the Company to any parties during the financial year to take up unissued shares of the Company.

No shares have been issued during the financial year by virtue of the exercise of any option to take up unissued shares of the Company. As of the end of the financial year, there were no unissued shares of the Company under options.

#### American Depository Receipt (ADR)/Global Depository Receipt (GDR) Programme

The Company did not sponsor any ADR or GDR Programmes during the financial year.

#### Imposition of Sanctions/Penalties

There were no sanctions and/or penalties imposed on the Company and its subsidiaries, directors or management by any local or foreign regulatory bodies during the financial year.

#### Non-audit fees

There are no non-audit fees paid to the external auditors during the financial year.

#### **Variation in results**

There was no material variance between the audited results of the Group for the financial year ended 31 December 2015 and unaudited results previously released on 25 February 2016.

#### Profit Estimate, Forecast of Projection and/or Profit Guarantee

The Company did not release any profit estimate, forecast, projection or guarantee for the financial year just ended.

#### **Material Contracts**

There were no material contracts entered into by the Company and its subsidiaries involving the directors and/ or substantial shareholders or contracts relating to loans entered into by the Company and its subsidiaries either still subsisting at the end of the financial year or entered into since the end of the financial year.

#### **Revaluation Policy on landed properties**

There was no revaluation of landed properties during the financial year ended 31 December 2015.

#### **Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR)**

The Company and Group are committed to the ISO 14001 Environmental Management Systems and Standards accreditation where various efforts are implemented and/or intensified to minimise any adverse effects of the manufacturing processes to the environment. In addition, the Company also made some donations to various charities and welfare organisations during the financial year ended 31 December 2015.





#### Statement on Risk Management and Internal Control

This Statement is prepared in compliance with paragraph 15.26(b) of the Main Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad which requires the Board of Directors of public listed companies to include in its Annual Report, a "statement about the state of internal control of the listed issuer as a group".

The Board of Directors of Rubberex Corporation (M) Berhad is committed to maintaining a sound system of risk management and internal control in the Group and is pleased to provide the following Statement on Risk Management and Internal Control for the financial year ended 31 December 2015.

#### **Board Responsibility**

The Board of Directors is responsible for the adequacy and effectiveness of the Group's Risk Management and Internal Control systems. This includes the establishment of an appropriate control environment and risk management framework as well as continually reviewing the adequacy and integrity of the said systems to safeguard our stakeholders' interests and the Group's assets. The system of risk management and internal controls covers finance, operations, management information systems and compliance with relevant laws, both local and foreign, all other statutory regulations, policies and procedures.

Whilst acknowledging its responsibilities, the Board of Directors is also aware of the limitations that are inherent in any systems of internal control and risk management, therefore such systems are designed to manage rather than totally eliminate the risks of failure to achieve business objectives. Accordingly, such systems can only provide reasonable rather than absolute assurance against material losses, misstatements or breaches of laws and/or regulations.

#### **Risk Management Framework**

The Group's risk management and internal control framework is a continually updated and ongoing process for identifying, evaluating and managing significant risks impacting the Group. The implementation of the risk management and internal control systems are operated within the Group by qualified personnel and supported by Management throughout the financial year. The Board of Directors, with the assistance of its Audit Committee, has also received assurance from Managing Director that the Group's risk management and internal control systems are operating adequately and effectively at the present time.

#### **Internal Audit Function**

The Internal Audit department is an independent division in the Group that reports functionally to the Audit Committee. The head of the Internal Audit department meets at least quarterly with the Audit Committee and provides the Committee with objective reports on the state of internal controls within the Group. Internal Audit also carries out ad-hoc audit assignments under the direction of the Audit Committee, if necessary.





Statement on Risk Management and Internal Control (cont'd)

#### Other Key Elements of the Group's Internal Control System

The Group's internal control system is designed primarily to facilitate the achievement of the Group's business objectives and comprise, among others, the following salient features:-

#### - Organisation Structure

The organisation structure of the Group includes defined lines of responsibility and delegation of authority to the Committees of the Board as well as authority limits for management and operating units;

#### Group Policies and Procedures

The Group's policies and procedures are set in place to ensure controls in authorisation limits as well as compliance to current laws and regulations. These policies and procedures are clearly communicated to employees and include an expected code of conduct and discipline to which employees acknowledge at the time of employment;

#### - Budgeting and Monitoring Processes

The operating subsidiary companies within the Group draw up an annual budget plan prior to the commencement of each new financial year that is seen and approved by Management before a Group Annual Budget is compiled and presented to the Board of Directors for consideration. Actual operating results are compared to the forecasted results regularly with variances reviewed and management action taken, where necessary. The Board of Directors is also informed of such variances on a quarterly basis;

#### Financial Performance Review

Regular and comprehensive information are provided to Management, covering financial results and key business indictors such as sales, production volumes, profit margins and cash flow performance;

#### - Audit Committee

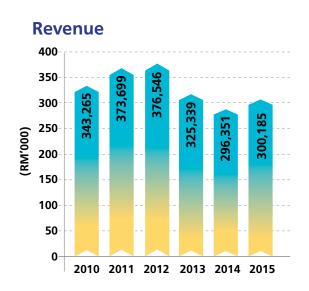
The Audit Committee comprises non-executive members of the Board of Directors, with two independent directors forming the majority and a member that is a qualified accountant. The Audit Committee has full and unrestricted access to any information pertaining to the Group and has direct communication access to both the internal and external auditors of the Group.

For the financial year just ended, no major control deficiencies were noted and the Board of Directors is of the view that the risk management and internal control systems of the Group are appropriate and adequate.

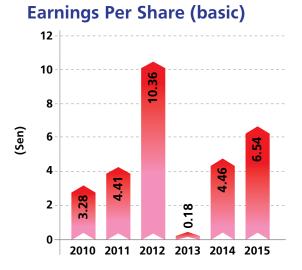


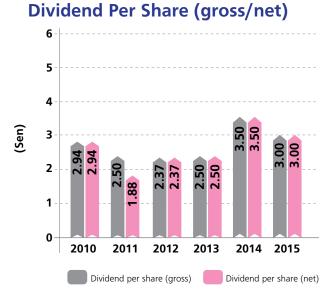


## **Financial Highlights 2015**













## **Statement of Shareholdings**

as at 18 March 2016

Authorised Share Capital : RM200,000,000 Issued and Paid up Capital : RM114,639,408

Class of Shares : Ordinary Shares of RM0.50 each

Voting Rights

On show of hands : 1 vote

On a poll : 1 vote for each share held

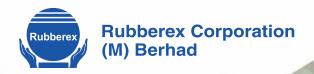
#### **DISTRIBUTION OF SHAREHOLDERS AS AT 18 MARCH 2016**

Size of Shareholdings

as at 18 March 2016	No. of Holders	% of Holders	No. of Shares	% of Shares
Less than 100	196	4.13	9,993	0.00
100 – 1,000	342	7.21	182,064	0.08
1,001 – 10,000	2,786	58.70	14,707,262	6.41
10,001 – 100,000	1,254	26.42	37,967,012	16.56
100,001 to less than 5% of issued shares	165	3.48	106,874,986	46.61
5% and above of issued shares	3	0.06	69,537,500	30.33
Total	4,746	100.00	229,278,817	100.00

#### 30 LARGEST SECURITIES ACCOUNT HOLDERS FOR ORDINARY SHARES

No.	Names	Shares	%
1	Public Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn Bhd		
	– Pledged Securities Account for Med-Bumikar Mara Sdn Bhd (PIVB)	32,444,889	14.15
2	Duvest Holdings Sdn Bhd	24,047,750	10.49
3	Med-Bumikar Mara Sdn Bhd	13,044,861	5.69
4	Public Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn Bhd		
	– Pledged Securities Account for Aun Huat & Brothers Sdn Berhad		
	(E-IMO/BCM)	8,352,941	3.64
5	HSBC Nominees (Asing) Sdn Bhd		
	– Exempt An For Skandinaviska Enskilda Banken AB (AIF Swedish Res)	7,323,200	3.19
6	Aun Huat & Brothers Sdn Berhad	6,956,145	3.03
7	Teng Cheng Bon @ Teng Kim Tee	6,889,184	3.00
8	Aun Huat & Brothers Sdn Berhad	5,891,686	2.57
9	Yap Siew Chin	5,355,400	2.34
10	Teo Kwee Hock	3,755,700	1.64
11	RHB Capital Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn Bhd		
	<ul> <li>Pledged Securities Account for Ping Kok Koh (041005)</li> </ul>	3,429,704	1.50
12	Diamond Silk International Sdn Bhd	3,017,983	1.32
13	Kon Choi Ying	2,934,638	1.28
14	Public Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn Bhd		
	– Pledged Securities Account For Med-Bumikar Mara Sdn Bhd (SAM)	2,889,111	1.26





## Statement of Shareholdings as at 18 March 2016 (cont'd)

#### 30 LARGEST SECURITIES ACCOUNT HOLDERS FOR ORDINARY SHARES (cont'd)

No.	Names	Shares	%
15	JF Apex Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn Bhd		
	– Pledged Securities Account for Teo Siew Lai (Margin)	2,566,600	1.12
16	RHB Capital Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn Bhd		
	<ul> <li>Pledged Securities Account for Sharifuddin bin Shoib (041004)</li> </ul>	2,164,542	0.94
17	Kenanga Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn Bhd – Ping Kok Koh (PCS)	1,813,334	0.79
18	Wong Kit Peng	1,650,000	0.72
19	Mohamed bin Hamzah	1,275,135	0.56
20	Ong Suan Kim	1,253,964	0.55
21	Low Hin Choong	1,147,600	0.50
22	Tok Peck Hong	1,081,000	0.47
23	Cimsec Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn Bhd – CIMB for Lim Loi Heng (PB)	1,037,000	0.45
24	Opulent Base Sdn Bhd	1,000,000	0.44
25	Rampai Dedikasi Sdn Bhd	800,000	0.35
26	Woi Yoon Kim	734,089	0.32
27	Sabri bin Abd Hamid	696,000	0.30
28	Goh Mooi Huan	674,966	0.29
29	Mega First Housing Development Sdn Bhd	667,700	0.29
30	Shum Yoke Chee	653,758	0.29
		145,548,353	63.48

## SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS AS AT 18 MARCH 2016 ORDINARY SHARES OF RM0.50 EACH

	No. of shares held			
	Direct	%	Indirect	%
Med-Bumikar Mara Sdn Bhd	48,378,861	21.10	-	-
Duvest Holdings Sdn Bhd	24,047,750	10.49	-	-
Teng Cheng Bon @ Teng Kim Tee	7,368,774	3.21	24,047,750	10.49 *
Aun Huat & Brothers Sdn Berhad	21,200,772	9.25	-	-
Ping Kok Koh	-	-	33,108,854	14.44 \\
Sharifuddin bin Shoib	54,114	0.02	26,212,292	11.43 **
P & F Holdings Sdn Bhd	370,666	0.16	21,200,772	9.25 ++
Poh Cheong Meng & Sons Sdn Bhd	516,024	0.23	21,200,772	9.25 ++
Poh Yin Hoe & Sons Holding Sdn Bhd	-	-	21,200,772	9.25 ++
Poh Chee Meng & Sons Holdings Sdn Bhd	383,121	0.17	21,200,772	9.25 ++

<sup>\*</sup> Deemed interest through Duvest Holdings Sdn Bhd

<sup>\*\*</sup> Deemed interest through Duvest Holdings Sdn Bhd and RHB Capital Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn Bhd

<sup>\\</sup> Deemed interest through Duvest Holdings Sdn Bhd, Kenanga Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn Bhd, Maybank Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn Bhd, RHB Capital Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn Bhd and Kon Choi Ying

<sup>++</sup> Held directly by Aun Huat & Brothers Sdn Berhad



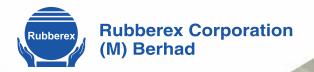


# Statement of Shareholdings as at 18 March 2016 (cont'd)

## DIRECTORS' INTERESTS AS AT 18 MARCH 2016 ORDINARY SHARES OF RM0.50 EACH

	Direct	No. of sh	ares held Indirect	%
	Direct	70	manece	70
Dato' Abd Rahim bin Abd Halim	200,000	0.09	100,000	0.04
Dato' Mohamed bin Hamzah	1,275,135	0.56	153,505	0.07
Khoo Chin Leng	10,690	0.00	7,604	0.00
Mustapha bin Mohamed	-	-	-	-
Poh Choo Lim	340,000	0.15	120,000	0.05
Yap Jek Nan	-	-	-	-
Sharifuddin bin Shoib	54,114	0.02	26,212,292	11.43

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### **Directors' Report**

The directors of **RUBBEREX CORPORATION (M) BERHAD** have pleasure in submitting their report and the audited financial statements of the Group and of the Company for the financial year ended December 31, 2015.

#### **PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES**

The Company is principally involved in investment holding.

The principal activities of the subsidiary companies are disclosed in Note 16 to the financial statements.

There have been no significant changes in the nature of the activities of the Company and its subsidiary companies during the financial year.

#### **RESULTS OF OPERATIONS**

The results of operations of the Group and of the Company for the financial year are as follows:

	The Group RM	The Company RM
Profit for the year	14,897,926	30,710,176

In the opinion of the directors, the results of operations of the Group and of the Company during the financial year have not been substantially affected by any item, transaction or event of a material and unusual nature.

#### **DIVIDENDS**

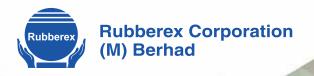
A first interim dividend of 1.50 sen per ordinary share, single tier, amounting to RM3,410,798, computed based on the issued and paid-up capital of 229,278,817 ordinary shares of RM0.50 each, less treasury shares of 1,892,200 held by the Company, was declared and paid on July 10, 2015.

A second interim dividend of 1.50 sen per ordinary shares, single tier, amounting to RM3,432,956 computed based on the issued and paid-up capital of 229,278,817 ordinary shares of RM0.50 each, less treasury shares of 415,000 held by the Company, was declared and paid on December 22, 2015.

No final dividend is proposed in respect of the current financial year.

#### **RESERVES AND PROVISIONS**

There were no material transfers to or from reserves or provisions during the financial year other than those disclosed in the financial statements.





#### **ISSUE OF SHARES AND DEBENTURES**

The Company has not issued any new shares or debentures during the financial year.

#### **TREASURY SHARES**

During the year, the Company repurchased 25,000 ordinary shares from the open market of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad. The total amount paid for acquisition of shares was RM19,021 and has been deducted from equity. The average price paid for the shares repurchased was RM0.76 per share. The repurchase transactions were financed by internally generated funds. The shares repurchased are being held as Treasury Shares in accordance with the requirements of Section 67A of the Companies Act, 1965.

During the year, the Company also sold all its 2,007,200 units of the treasury shares in the open market of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad for RM1,607,101 to increase the working capital of the Company. The average selling price of the treasury shares was RM0.80 per share. The resulting premium arising from the treasury shares sold of RM168,551 has been credited to the share premium account.

#### **SHARE OPTIONS**

No options have been granted by the Company to any parties during the financial year to take up unissued shares of the Company.

No shares have been issued during the financial year by virtue of the exercise of any option to take up unissued shares of the Company. As of the end of the financial year, there were no unissued shares of the Company under options.

#### OTHER STATUTORY INFORMATION

Before the statements of profit or loss and other comprehensive income and the statements of financial position of the Group and of the Company were made out, the directors took reasonable steps:

- (a) to ascertain that proper action had been taken in relation to the writing off of bad debts and the making of allowance for doubtful debts and had satisfied themselves that no known bad debts needed to be written off and that adequate allowance had been made for doubtful debts; and
- (b) to ensure that any current assets which were unlikely to realise their book values in the ordinary course of business have been written down to their estimated realisable values.

At the date of this report, the directors are not aware of any circumstances:

- (a) which would require the writing off of bad debts or render the amount of allowance for doubtful debts in the financial statements of the Group and of the Company inadequate to any substantial extent; or
- (b) which would render the values attributed to current assets in the financial statements of the Group and of the Company misleading; or





- (c) which have arisen which render adherence to the existing method of valuation of assets or liabilities of the Group and of the Company misleading or inappropriate; or
- (d) not otherwise dealt with in this report or financial statements which would render any amount stated in the financial statements of the Group and of the Company misleading.

At the date of this report, there does not exist:

- (a) any charge on the assets of the Group and of the Company which has arisen since the end of the financial year and secures the liability of any other person; or
- (b) any contingent liability of the Group and of the Company which has arisen since the end of the financial year.

No contingent or other liability has become enforceable, or is likely to become enforceable within the period of twelve months after the end of the financial year which, in the opinion of the directors, will or may substantially affect the ability of the Group and of the Company to meet their obligations as and when they fall due.

In the opinion of the directors, no item, transaction or event of a material and unusual nature has arisen in the interval between the end of the financial year and the date of this report which is likely to affect substantially the results of operations of the Group and of the Company for the financial year in which this report is made.

#### **DIRECTORS**

The following directors served on the Board of the Company since the date of the last report:

Dato' Abd Rahim bin Abd Halim Dato' Mohamed bin Hamzah

Mr. Khoo Chin Leng

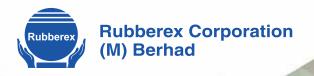
En. Mustapha bin Mohamed

Mr. Poh Choo Lim Mr. Yap Jek Nan

En. Sharifuddin bin Shoib

In accordance with Article 91 of the Company's Articles of Association, Mr. Yap Jek Nan and En. Sharifuddin bin Shoib retire by rotation and, being eligible, offer themselves for re-election.

In accordance with Section 129(6) of the Companies Act, 1965, Dato' Mohamed bin Hamzah retires and, being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment.





#### **DIRECTORS' INTERESTS**

The shareholdings in the Company of those who were directors at the end of the financial year, as recorded in the Register of Directors' Shareholdings kept by the Company under Section 134 of the Companies Act, 1965, are as follows:

	Number of ordinary shares of RM0.50 each				
	Balance as of			Balance as of	
	1.1.2015	Bought	Sold	31.12.2015	
Shares in the Company					
Registered in the name of directors					
Dato' Abd Rahim bin Abd Halim	200,000	-	-	200,000	
Dato' Mohamed bin Hamzah	1,275,135	30,000	(30,000)	1,275,135	
Mr. Khoo Chin Leng	10,690	-	-	10,690	
En. Sharifuddin bin Shoib	54,114	-	-	54,114	
Mr. Poh Choo Lim	340,000	-	-	340,000	
Indirect interest					
Dato' Abd Rahim bin Abd Halim	100,000	-	-	100,000	
Dato' Mohamed bin Hamzah	153,505	-	-	153,505	
Mr. Khoo Chin Leng	7,604	-	-	7,604	
En. Sharifuddin bin Shoib	26,212,292	-	-	26,212,292	
Mr. Poh Choo Lim	120,000	-	-	120,000	

None of the other directors in office at the end of the financial year held shares or had beneficial interests in the shares of the Company or of its subsidiary companies during the financial year.

#### **DIRECTORS' BENEFITS**

Since the end of the previous financial year, none of the directors of the Company has received or become entitled to receive any benefit (other than the benefit included in the aggregate amount of emoluments received or due and receivable by directors as disclosed in the financial statements or the fixed salary of a full-time employee of the Company) by reason of a contract made by the Company or a related corporation with the director or with a firm of which he is a member, or with a company in which he has a substantial financial interest.

During and at the end of the financial year, no arrangement subsisted to which the Company was a party whereby directors of the Company might acquire benefits by means of the acquisition of shares in, or debentures of, the Company or any other body corporate.





#### **AUDITORS**

The auditors, Messrs. Deloitte, have indicated their willingness to continue in office.

Signed on behalf of the Board in accordance with a resolution of the Directors,

MR. KHOO CHIN LENG

#### **DATO' ABD RAHIM BIN ABD HALIM**

Ipoh, April 4, 2016





#### **Independent Auditors' Report**

To The Members of Rubberex Corporation (M) Berhad (Incorporated in Malaysia)

#### **Report on the Financial Statements**

We have audited the financial statements of Rubberex Corporation (M) Berhad, which comprise the statements of financial position of the Group and of the Company as of December 31, 2015 and the statements of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, statements of changes in equity and statements of cash flows of the Group and of the Company for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, as set out on pages 34 to 102.

Directors' Responsibility for the Financial Statements

The directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation of these financial statements so as to give a true and fair view in accordance with Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards, International Financial Reporting Standards and the requirements of the Companies Act, 1965 in Malaysia. The directors are also responsible for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

#### Auditors' Responsibility

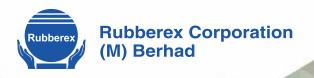
Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with approved standards on auditing in Malaysia. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditors consider internal control relevant to the entity's preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the directors, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence that we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

#### Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Group and of the Company as of December 31, 2015 and of their financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards, International Financial Reporting Standards and the requirements of the Companies Act, 1965 in Malaysia.





# Independent Auditors' Report To The Members of Rubberex Corporation (M) Berhad (Incorporated in Malaysia) (cont'd)

#### **Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements**

In accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act, 1965 in Malaysia, we also report that:

- (a) in our opinion, the accounting and other records and the registers required by the Act to be kept by the Company and by the subsidiary companies of which we have acted as auditors, have been properly kept in accordance with the provisions of the Act;
- (b) we have considered the accounts and auditors' reports of the subsidiary companies, of which we have not acted as auditors, which are indicated in Note 16 to the financial statements;
- (c) we are satisfied that the accounts of the subsidiary companies that have been consolidated with the financial statements of the Company are in form and content appropriate and proper for the purposes of the preparation of the financial statements of the Group, and we have received satisfactory information and explanations as required by us for these purposes; and
- (d) the auditors' reports on the accounts of the subsidiary companies did not contain any qualification or any adverse comment made under Section 174 (3) of the Act.

#### **Other Reporting Responsibilities**

The supplementary information set out in Note 35 is disclosed to meet the requirement of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad and is not part of the financial statements. The directors are responsible for the preparation of the supplementary information in accordance with Guidance on Special Matter No. 1 "Determination of Realised and Unrealised Profits or Losses in the Context of Disclosure Pursuant to Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad Listing Requirements" as issued by the Malaysian Institute of Accountants ("MIA Guidance") and the directive of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad. In our opinion, the supplementary information is prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with the MIA Guidance and the directive of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad.

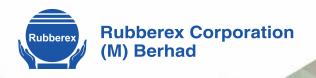
#### **Other Matters**

This report is made solely to the members of the Company, as a body, in accordance with Section 174 of the Companies Act, 1965 in Malaysia and for no other purpose. We do not assume responsibility towards any other person for the contents of this report.

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Chartered Accountants

LIM KENG PEO Partner - 2939/01/18(J/PH) Chartered Accountant

April 4, 2016





## Statements of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income

for the year ended December 31, 2015

		The Group 2015 2014		The Company 2015 2014	
	Note	RM	RM	RM	RM
Revenue	5	300,184,688	296,350,885	2,021,630	7,154,010
Investment revenue	7	58,142	56,880	44,849	56,880
Other gains and losses	8	(441,580)	(3,401,173)	30,449,818	8,308,150
Other operating income	10	118,900	125,206	-	-
Changes in inventories of					
finished goods, trading goods					
and work-in-progress		5,614,160	(14,704,870)	-	-
Purchase of finished		(7.044.250)	(24 262 720)		
goods and trading goods		(7,811,259)	(21,262,730)	-	-
Raw materials and consumables used		/1E4 CE2 100\	(120 CEO 024)		
Employee benefits expenses	9	(154,652,188) (46,986,670)	(138,659,034) (41,108,912)	(198,975)	- (197,500)
Depreciation expenses	14	(20,110,193)	(16,644,601)	(190,973)	(197,300)
Amortisation of prepaid	14	(20,110,193)	(10,044,001)	_	_
lease payments	15	(286,288)	(244,849)	_	_
Finance costs	11	(4,178,490)	(4,588,777)	(1,183,263)	(1,725,057)
Other operating expenses	10	(51,202,754)	(39,376,348)	(426,414)	(612,130)
1 3 1					
Profit before tax		20,306,468	16,541,677	30,707,645	12,984,353
Tax (expenses)/income	12	(5,408,542)	(6,407,827)	2,531	-
PROFIT FOR THE YEAR ATTRIBUTABLE TO OWNERS OF THE COMPANY		14,897,926	10,133,850	30,710,176	12,984,353
Other comprehensive income Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss: Exchange differences on translating foreign operations	5	30,375,023	6,946,331	_	_
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ATTRIBUTABLE TO OWNERS OF THE COMPANY		45,272,949	17,080,181	30,710,176	12,984,353
or the company		15,212,575		30,710,170	. 2,30 1,333
Earnings per share					
Basic and diluted (sen per share)	13	6.54	4.46		

The accompanying Notes form an integral part of the financial statements.



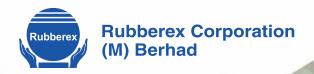


### **Statements of Financial Position**

as of December 31, 2015

	Note	The 0 2015 RM	Group 2014 RM	The Co 2015 RM	ompany 2014 RM
ASSETS					
Non-current assets					
Property, plant and equipment	14	202,177,806	141,298,362		
Prepaid lease payments	15	15,342,189	13,989,605	-	-
Investment in		, ,	, ,		
subsidiary companies	16	-	-	214,185,110	197,013,296
Deferred tax assets	12	870,098	639,634	-	-
Goodwill on consolidation	17	2,793,422	2,793,422		-
Total non-current assets		221,183,515	158,721,023	214,185,110	197,013,296
Current assets					
Inventories	18	73,336,960	63,091,028	-	-
Trade and other receivables	19	64,358,687	47,331,034	-	-
Amount owing by	20			0.722.005	6 54 4 420
subsidiary companies Current tax assets	20 12		-	9,723,095	6,514,428
Other assets	21	607,321 1,040,909	307,889 1,059,715	215,493 1,000	198,993 1,000
Other financial assets	22	1,040,909	133,713	1,000	1,000
Cash and bank balances	23	21,156,958	43,526,913	1,505,540	10,742,830
Total current assets		160,500,835	155,450,292	11,445,128	17,457,251
Total assets		381,684,350	314,171,315	225,630,238	214,470,547
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES					
Capital and reserves					
Share capital	24(a)	114,639,408	114,639,408	114,639,408	114,639,408
Treasury shares	24(b)	-	(1,419,529)	-	(1,419,529)
Reserves	25	131,564,961	92,967,215	72,703,909	48,668,936
Total equity		246,204,369	206,187,094	187,343,317	161,888,815
Non-current liabilities					
Deferred tax liabilities	12	243,702	50,091	-	-
Borrowings	27	40,037,469	18,195,000	15,675,000	12,375,000
Total non-current liabilities		40,281,171	18,245,091	15,675,000	12,375,000

The accompanying Notes form an integral part of the financial statements.





## Statements of Financial Position as of December 31, 2015 (cont'd)

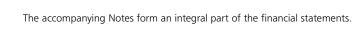
		The G	The Group		mpany
		2015	2014	2015	2014
	Note	RM	RM	RM	RM
Current liabilities					
Trade and other payables	28	44,499,058	31,378,046	-	-
Amount owing to					
subsidiary companies	20	-	-	12,119,334	6,835,871
Borrowings	27	42,210,148	50,108,468	10,200,000	33,125,000
Current tax liabilities	12	937,000	1,156,173	-	-
Other liabilities -					
accrued expenses	29	7,547,239	4,498,650	292,587	245,861
Other financial liabilities	30	5,365	2,597,793	-	-
Total current liabilities		95,198,810	89,739,130	22,611,921	40,206,732
Total liabilities		135,479,981	107,984,221	38,286,921	52,581,732
Total equity and liabilities		381,684,350	314,171,315	225,630,238	214,470,547

		<b>←</b> Attributable to Owners of the Company —						-
			Non-	distributable Res	serves		Distributable Reserve	
The Group	Note(s)	Issued Capital RM	Treasury Shares RM	Share Premium RM	Translation Reserve RM	Capital Reserve RM	Retained Earnings RM	Net Equity RM
Balance as of January 1, 2014		114,639,408	(1,404,842)	29,334,830	16,461,415	(5,127,752)	40,774,251	194,677,310
Profit for the year Other comprehensive income for the year		-	-	-	6,946,331	-	10,133,850	10,133,850 6,946,331
Total comprehensive income for the year Payment of dividend Adjustment relating to contingent	26	-		-	6,946,331 -	-	10,133,850 (7,955,710)	17,080,181 (7,955,710)
consideration under profit guarantee Purchase of treasury shares	24(b)		(14,687)		- -	2,400,000	-	2,400,000 (14,687)
Balance as of December 31, 2014		114,639,408	(1,419,529)	29,334,830	23,407,746	(2,727,752)	42,952,391	206,187,094
Profit for the year Other comprehensive income for the year		-	-	-	- 30,375,023	-	14,897,926	14,897,926 30,375,023
Total comprehensive income for the year Payment of dividend Purchase of treasury shares Resale of treasury shares	26 24(b) 24(b)	- - - -	- (19,021) 1,438,550	- - - 168,551	30,375,023 - - -	- - -	14,897,926 (6,843,754) - -	45,272,949 (6,843,754) (19,021) 1,607,101
Balance as of December 31, 2015		114,639,408		29,503,381	53,782,769	(2,727,752)	51,006,563	246,204,369



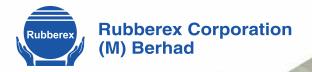


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		← Attributable to Owners of the Company — Non-					
The Company	Note(s)	Issued Capital RM	Treasury Shares RM	distributable Reserve share Premium RM	Distributable Reserve Retained Earnings RM	Net Equity RM	
Balance as of January 1, 2014		114,639,408	(1,404,842)	29,334,830	14,305,463	156,874,859	
Profit and total comprehensive income for the year Payment of dividend Purchase of treasury shares	26 24(b)	- - -	- - (14,687)	- - -	12,984,353 (7,955,710) -	12,984,353 (7,955,710) (14,687)	
Balance as of December 31, 2014		114,639,408	(1,419,529)	29,334,830	19,334,106	161,888,815	
Profit and total comprehensive income for the year Payment of dividend Purchase of treasury shares Resale of treasury shares	26 24(b) 24(b)	- - - -	- (19,021) 1,438,550	- - - 168,551	30,710,176 (6,843,754) -	30,710,176 (6,843,754) (19,021) 1,607,101	
Balance as of December 31, 2015		114,639,408	-	29,503,381	43,200,528	187,343,317	







**Statement of Cash Flows** for the year ended December 31, 2015

The Group	Note	2015 RM	2014 RM
CASH FLOWS FROM/(USED IN) OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Profit for the year Adjustments for:		14,897,926	10,133,850
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment Tax expenses recognised in profit or loss Finance costs Inventories written down to net realisable value Property, plant and equipment written off Amortisation of prepaid lease payments Allowance for doubtful debts Inventories written off Unrealised (gains)/losses on foreign exchange Fair value (gains)/losses on financial derivatives Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment Reversal of inventories written down Investment revenue recognised in profit or loss Impairment loss on property, plant and equipment		20,110,193 5,408,542 4,178,490 3,166,711 431,974 286,288 116,526 50,718 (1,473,652) (114,083) (102,524) (76,134) (58,142)	16,644,601 6,407,827 4,588,777 - 81,146 244,849 59,803 498,753 265,575 2,643,941 (119,782) - (56,880) 270,600
Interest income		46,822,833	(11,633) ———————————————————————————————————
Movements in working capital: (Increase)/Decrease in:		40,022,033	41,031,427
Inventories Trade and other receivables Other assets Other financial assets		(6,665,170) (9,602,921) 38,085 266,889	21,263,421 (1,995,941) (568,193) (1,134,605)
Increase/(Decrease) in: Trade and other payables Other liabilities - accrued expenses Other financial liabilities		486,741 2,637,156 (2,597,793)	(2,998,116) (535,231) (186,937)
Cash Generated From Operations Income tax refunded Interest received		31,385,820 134,207 -	55,495,825 18,000 11,633
Income tax paid Real Property Gains Tax paid		(6,063,502) (39,191)	(6,435,599)
Net Cash From Operating Activities		25,417,334	49,089,859





# Statement of Cash Flows for the year ended December 31, 2015 (cont'd)

The Group	Note	2015 RM	2014 RM
CASH FLOWS FROM/(USED IN) INVESTING ACTIVITIES Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment Interest received Purchase of property, plant and equipment  Net Cash Used In Investing Activities	32(a)	136,039 58,142 (52,735,956) (52,541,775)	
CASH FLOWS FROM/(USED IN) FINANCING ACTIVITIES  Proceeds from term loans Proceeds from trust receipts Proceeds from sale of treasury shares Repayment of revolving credit - net Repayment of term loans Dividend paid Finance costs paid (Repayment of)/Proceeds from bills payable Repurchase of shares - treasury shares		38,882,469 2,432,000 1,607,101 (19,000,000) (13,605,000) (6,843,754) (4,577,641) (2,349,232) (19,021)	15,800,000 - (5,000,000) (9,196,500) (7,955,710) (4,588,777) 2,079,549 (14,687)
Net Cash Used In Financing Activities		(3,473,078)	(8,876,125)
NET (DECREASE)/INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		(30,597,519)	18,564,759
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR Effect of exchange rate changes on the balance of		43,022,522	21,461,532
cash held in foreign currencies		1,909,442	2,996,231
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF YEAR	32(b)	14,334,445	43,022,522





# Statement of Cash Flows for the year ended December 31, 2015 (cont'd)

The Company	Note	2015 RM	2014 RM
CASH FLOWS FROM/(USED IN) OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Profit for the year		30,710,176	12,984,353
Adjustments for:			
Finance costs Unrealised gain on foreign exchange		1,183,263 (28,647,649)	1,725,057 (8,310,637)
Dividend income		(2,021,630)	(7,154,010)
Investment revenue recognised in profit or loss		(44,849)	(56,880)
Tax income recognised in profit or loss		(2,531)	-
		1,176,780	(812,117)
Movements in working capital:			
Increase/(Decrease) in: Other payables			(10 GEQ)
Other liabilities - accrued expenses		46,726	(10,658) 14,361
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Cash Generated From/(Used In) Operations		1,223,506	(808,414)
Dividends received from subsidiary companies		2,021,630	7,154,010
Income tax refunded Income tax paid		4,031 (18,000)	-
псотте тах рати		(18,000)	
Net Cash From Operating Activities		3,231,167	6,345,596
CASH FLOWS FROM/(USED IN) INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Repayment from subsidiary companies		11,475,835	10,787,882
Interest received		44,849	56,880
Advances granted to subsidiary companies		(15,600,000)	
Net Cash (Used In)/From Investing Activities		(4,079,316)	10,844,762





# Statement of Cash Flows for the year ended December 31, 2015 (cont'd)

The Company	Note	2015 RM	2014 RM
CASH FLOWS FROM/(USED IN) FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Advances received from subsidiary companies - net		18,548,573	6,366,117
Proceeds from term loans		13,500,000	8,000,000
Proceeds from sale of treasury shares		1,607,101	-
Repayment of revolving credit - net		(21,500,000)	(2,500,000)
Repayment of term loans		(11,625,000)	(8,400,000)
Dividends paid		(6,843,754)	(7,955,710)
Finance costs paid		(2,057,040)	(2,978,379)
Repurchase of shares - treasury shares		(19,021)	(14,687)
Net Cash Used In Financing Activities		(8,389,141)	(7,482,659)
NET (DECREASE)/INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		(9,237,290)	9,707,699
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR		10,742,830	1,035,131
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF YEAR	32(b)	1,505,540	10,742,830



## Notes to the Financial Statements

#### 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

The Company is a public limited liability company, incorporated and domiciled in Malaysia and listed on the Main Market of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad.

The Company is principally involved in investment holding.

The principal activities of the subsidiary companies are disclosed in Note 16.

There have been no significant changes in the nature of the activities of the Company and its subsidiary companies during the financial year.

The registered office of the Company is located at 41, Jalan Medan Ipoh 6, Bandar Baru Medan Ipoh, 31400 Ipoh, Perak Darul Ridzuan.

The principal place of business of the Company is located at Lot 138201, Off 3/4 Mile, Jalan Bercham, Kawasan Perindustrian Bercham, 31400 Ipoh, Perak Darul Ridzuan.

The financial statements of the Group and of the Company were authorised for issue by the Board of Directors in accordance with a resolution of the directors on April 4, 2016.

#### 2. BASIS OF PREPARATION OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial statements of the Group and of the Company have been prepared in accordance with Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards ("MFRSs"), International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRSs") and the provisions of the Companies Act, 1965 in Malaysia.

In the current financial year, the Group and the Company have applied a number of amendments to MFRSs issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board ("MASB") that are mandatorily effective for an accounting period that begins on or after January 1, 2015. The adoption of amendments to MFRSs has had no material impact on the disclosures or on the amounts recognised in the financial statements.

#### New and Amendments to MFRSs in issue but not yet effective

The Group and the Company have not elected for early adoption the relevant new and amendments to MFRSs which have been issued but not yet effective until future periods at the date of authorisation for issue of these financial statements. The directors anticipate that the adoption of these Standards and amendments will be adopted in the annual financial statements of the Group and of the Company when they become mandatorily effective for adoption. The adoption of these Standards and amendments is not expected to have a material impact on the financial statements of the Group and of the Company, except as further discussed below.

#### MFRS 9 Financial Instruments

MFRS 9 (IFRS 9 issued by IASB in November 2009) introduced new requirements for the classification and measurement of financial assets. MFRS 9 (IFRS 9 issued by IASB in October 2010) include requirements for the classification and measurement of financial liabilities and for derecognition, and in February 2014, the new requirements for general hedge accounting was issued by MASB. Another revised version of MFRS 9 was issued by MASB - MFRS 9 (IFRS 9 issued by IASB in July 2014) mainly to include a) impairment requirements for financial assets and b) limited amendments to the classification and measurement requirements by introducing a 'fair value through other comprehensive income' (FVTOCI) measurement category for certain simple debt instruments.





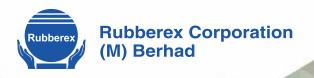
#### 2. BASIS OF PREPARATION OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (cont'd)

#### MFRS 9 Financial Instruments (cont'd)

Key requirements of MFRS 9:

- all recognised financial assets that are within the scope of MFRS 139 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement are required to be subsequently measured at amortised cost or at fair value. Specifically, debt investments that are held within a business model whose objective is to collect the contractual cash flows, and that have contractual cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal outstanding are generally measured at amortised cost at the end of subsequent accounting periods. Debt instruments that are held within a business model whose objective is achieved both by collecting contractual cash flows and selling financial assets, and that have contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding, are measured at FVTOCI. All other debt investments and equity investments are measured at their fair value at the end of subsequent accounting periods. In addition, under MFRS 9, entities may make an irrevocable election to present subsequent changes in the fair value of an equity investment (that is not held for trading) in other comprehensive income, with only dividend income generally recognised in profit or loss.
- with regard to the measurement of financial liabilities designated as at fair value through profit or loss, MFRS 9 requires that the amount of change in the fair value of the financial liability that is attributable to changes in the credit risk of that liability, is presented in other comprehensive income, unless the recognition of the effects of changes in the liability's credit risk in other comprehensive income would create or enlarge an accounting mismatch in profit or loss. Changes in fair value attributable to a financial liability's credit risk are not subsequently reclassified to profit or loss. Under MFRS 139, the entire amount of the change in the fair value of the financial liability designated as at fair value through profit or loss is presented in profit or loss.
- in relation to the impairment of financial assets, MFRS 9 requires an expected credit loss model, as opposed to an incurred credit loss model under MFRS 139. The expected credit loss model requires an entity to account for expected credit losses and changes in those expected credit losses at the end of each reporting period to reflect changes in credit risk since initial recognition. In other words, it is no longer necessary for a credit event to have occurred before credit losses are recognised.
- the new general hedge accounting requirements retain the three types of hedge accounting mechanisms currently available in MFRS 139. Under MFRS 9, greater flexibility has been introduced to the types of transactions eligible for hedge accounting, specifically broadening the types of instruments that qualify for hedging instruments and the types of risk components of non-financial items that are eligible for hedge accounting. In addition, the effectiveness test has been overhauled and replaced with the principle of an 'economic relationship'. Retrospective assessment of hedge effectiveness is also no longer required. Enhanced disclosure requirements about an entity's risk management activities have also been introduced.

The directors of the Group and of the Company anticipate that the application of MFRS 9 in the future may have a material impact on amounts reported in respect of the Group's and of the Company's financial assets and financial liabilities. However, it is not practicable to provide a reasonable estimate of the effect of MFRS 9 until the Group and the Company complete a detailed review.





#### 2. BASIS OF PREPARATION OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (cont'd)

#### MFRS 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers

MFRS 15 establishes a single comprehensive model for entities to use in accounting for revenue arising from contracts with customers. MFRS 15 will supersede the current revenue recognition guidance including MFRS 118 Revenue, MFRS 111 Construction Contracts and the related Interpretations when it becomes effective.

The core principle of MFRS 15 is that an entity should recognise revenue to depict the transfer of promised goods or services to customers in an amount that reflects the consideration to which the entity expects to be entitled in exchange for those goods or services. Specifically, the Standard introduces a 5-step approach to revenue recognition:

Step 1: Identify the contract(s) with a customer

Step 2: Identify the performance obligations in the contract

Step 3: Determine the transaction price

Step 4: Allocate the transaction price to the performance obligations in the contract Step 5: Recognise revenue when (or as) the entity satisfies a performance obligation

Under MFRS 15, an entity recognises revenue when (or as) a performance obligation is satisfied, i.e. when 'control' of the goods or services underlying the particular performance obligation is transferred to the customer. Far more prescriptive guidance has been added in MFRS 15 to deal with specific scenarios. Furthermore, extensive disclosures are required by MFRS 15.

The directors of the Group and of the Company anticipate that the application of MFRS 15 in the future may have a material impact on the amounts reported and disclosures made in these financial statements. However, it is not practicable to provide a reasonable estimate of the effect of MFRS 15 until the Group and the Company complete a detailed review.

#### Amendments to MFRS 101 Disclosure Initiative

The amendments to MFRS 101 aim at clarifying MFRS 101 to address perceived impediments to preparers exercising their judgment in presenting their financial reports. The amendments make the following changes:

- They clarify that information should not be obscured by aggregating or by providing immaterial information, materiality considerations apply to the all parts of the financial statements, and even when a standard requires a specific disclosure, materiality considerations do apply.
- They introduce a clarification that the list of line items to be presented in the statement of financial position and the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income can be disaggregated and aggregated as relevant and additional guidance on subtotals in these statements and clarify that an entity's share of other comprehensive income of equity-accounted associates and joint ventures should be presented in aggregate as single line items based on whether or not it will subsequently be reclassified to profit or loss.
- They add additional examples of possible ways of ordering the notes to clarify that understandability and comparability should be considered when determining the order of the notes and removed guidance and examples with regard to the identification of significant accounting policies that were perceived as being potentially unhelpful.

The directors of the Group and of the Company do not anticipate that the application of these amendments to MFRS 101 will have a material impact on these financial statements as these amendments deal with the presentation of financial statements.





#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **Basis of Accounting**

The financial statements of the Group and of the Company have been prepared on the historical cost basis except for financial instruments that are measured at fair values or at amortised costs, as explained in the accounting policies below. Historical cost is generally based on the fair value of the consideration given in exchange for assets.

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date, regardless of whether that price is directly observable or estimated using another valuation technique. In estimating the fair value of an asset or a liability, the Group takes into account the characteristics of the asset or liability if market participants would take those characteristics into account when pricing the asset or liability at the measurement date. Fair value for measurement and/or disclosure purposes in these consolidated financial statements is determined on such a basis, except for share-based payment transaction that are within the scope of MFRS 2, leasing transactions that are within the scope of MFRS 117, and measurements that have some similarities to fair value but are not fair value, such as net realisable value in MFRS 102 or value in use in MFRS 136.

In addition, for financial reporting purposes, fair value measurements are categorised into Level 1, 2 or 3 based on the degree to which the inputs to the fair value measurements are observable and the significance of the inputs to the fair value measurement in its entirety, which are described as follows:

- Level 1 inputs are quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the entity can access at the measurement date;
- Level 2 inputs are inputs, other than quoted prices included within Level 1, that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly; and
- Level 3 inputs are unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

The principal accounting policies are set out below:

## **Subsidiary Companies and Basis of Consolidation**

The consolidated financial statements incorporate the financial statements of the Company and entities controlled by the Company and its subsidiary companies. Control is achieved where the Company:

- has power over the investee;
- · is exposed, or has rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the investee; and
- has the ability to use its power to affect its returns.

The Company reassessed whether or not it controls an investee if facts and circumstances indicate that there are changes to one or more of the three elements of control listed above.





#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

#### Subsidiary Companies and Basis of Consolidation (cont'd)

When the Company has less than a majority of the voting rights of an investee, it has power over the investee when the voting rights are sufficient to give it the practical ability to direct the relevant activities of the investee unilaterally. The Company considers all relevant facts and circumstances in assessing whether or not the Company's voting rights in an investee are sufficient to give it power, including:

- the size of the Company's holding of voting rights relative to the size and dispersion of holdings of the other vote holders;
- potential voting rights held by the Company, other vote holders or other parties;
- rights arising from other contractual arrangements; and
- any additional facts and circumstance that indicate that the Company has, or does not have, the current ability to direct the relevant activities at the time that decisions need to be made, including voting patterns at previous shareholders' meetings.

Consolidation of a subsidiary company begins when the Company obtains control over the subsidiary company and ceases when the Company loses control of the subsidiary company. Specifically, income and expenses of a subsidiary company acquired or disposed of during the year are included in the consolidated profit or loss from the date the Company gains control until the date when the Company ceases to control the subsidiary company.

Profit or loss and each component of other comprehensive income are attributed to the owners of the Company and to the non-controlling interests. Total comprehensive income of subsidiary companies is attributed to the owners of the Company and to the non-controlling interests even if this results in the non-controlling interests having a deficit balance.

Where necessary, adjustments are made to the financial statements of subsidiary companies to bring their accounting policies into line with the Group's accounting policies.

All intra-group assets and liabilities, equity, income, expenses and cash flows relating to transactions between members of the Group are eliminated in full on consolidation.

#### Changes in the Group's ownership interest in existing subsidiary companies

Changes in the Group's ownership interests in subsidiary companies that do not result in the Group losing control are accounted for as equity transactions. The carrying amounts of the Group's interests and the non-controlling interests are adjusted to reflect the changes in their relative interests in the subsidiary companies. Any difference between the amount by which the non-controlling interests are adjusted and the fair value of the consideration paid or received is recognised directly in equity and attributed to owners of the Company.

When the Group loses control of a subsidiary company, a gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss and is calculated as the difference between (i) the aggregate of the fair value of the consideration received and the fair value of any retained interest and (ii) the previous carrying amount of the assets (including goodwill), and liabilities of the subsidiary company and any non-controlling interests. All amounts previously recognised in other comprehensive income in relation to that subsidiary company are accounted for as if the Group had directly disposed of the relevant assets or liabilities of the subsidiary company (i.e. reclassified to profit or loss or transferred to another category of equity as specified/permitted by applicable MFRSs). The fair value of any investment retained in the former subsidiary company at the date when control is lost is regarded as the fair value on initial recognition for subsequent accounting under MFRS 139 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement or, when applicable, the cost on initial recognition of an investment in an associate or joint venture.





### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

#### Subsidiary Companies

Investments in subsidiary companies, which are eliminated on consolidation, are stated at cost less impairment losses, if any, in the Company's separate financial statements.

#### **Business Combinations**

Acquisitions of subsidiary companies and businesses are accounted for using the acquisition method. The consideration transferred in a business combination is measured at fair value, which is calculated as the sum of the acquisition-date fair values of assets transferred by the Group, liabilities incurred by the Group to the former owners of the acquiree and equity instruments issued by the Group in exchange for control of the acquiree. Acquisition-related costs are recognised in profit or loss as incurred.

At acquisition date, the identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed are recognised at their fair value, except that:

- deferred tax assets or deferred tax liabilities and assets or liabilities related to employee benefit
  arrangements are recognised and measured in accordance with MFRS 112 Income Taxes and MFRS
  119 Employee Benefits respectively;
- liabilities or equity instruments related to the share-based payment arrangements of the acquiree
  or share-based payment arrangements of the Group entered into to replace share-based payment
  arrangements of the acquiree are measured in accordance with MFRS 2 Share-based Payment at the
  acquisition date; and
- assets (or disposal groups) that are classified as held for sale in accordance with MFRS 5 Non-current Assets Held for Sale and Discontinued Operations are measured in accordance with that Standard.

Goodwill is measured as the excess of the sum of the consideration transferred, the amount of any non-controlling interests in the acquiree, and the fair value of the acquirer's previously held equity interest in the acquiree (if any) over the net of the acquisition-date amounts of the identifiable assets acquired and the liabilities assumed. If, after reassessment, the net of the acquisition-date amounts of the identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed exceeds the sum of the consideration transferred, the amount of any non-controlling interests in the acquiree and the fair value of the acquirer's previously held equity interest in the acquiree (if any), the excess is recognised immediately in profit or loss as a bargain purchase gain.

Non-controlling interests that are present ownership interests and entitle their holders to a proportionate share of the entity's net assets in the event of liquidation may be initially measured either at fair value or at the non-controlling interests' proportionate share of the recognised amounts of the acquiree's identifiable net assets. The choice of measurement basis is made on a transaction-by-transaction basis. Other types of non-controlling interests are measured at fair value or, when applicable, on the basis specified in another MFRSs.

Where the consideration transferred by the Group in a business combination includes assets or liabilities resulting from a contingent consideration arrangement, the contingent consideration is measured at its acquisition-date fair value. Changes in the fair value of the contingent consideration that qualify as measurement period adjustments are adjusted retrospectively, with corresponding adjustments against goodwill. Measurement period adjustments are adjustments that arise from additional information obtained during the "measurement period" (which cannot exceed one year from the acquisition date) about facts and circumstances that existed at the acquisition date.





#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

#### **Business Combinations** (cont'd)

The subsequent accounting for changes in the fair value of contingent consideration that do not qualify as measurement period adjustments depends on how the contingent consideration is classified. Contingent consideration that is classified as equity is not remeasured at subsequent reporting dates and its subsequent settlement is accounted for within equity. Contingent consideration that is classified as an asset or liability is remeasured at subsequent reporting dates in accordance with MFRS 139 or MFRS 137 Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets, as appropriate, with the corresponding gain or loss being recognised in profit or loss.

Where a business combination is achieved in stages, the Group's previously held equity interests in the acquiree is remeasured to its acquisition date fair value and the resulting gain or loss, if any, is recognised in profit or loss. Amounts arising from interests in the acquiree prior to the acquisition date that have previously been recognised in other comprehensive income are reclassified to profit or loss, where such treatment would be appropriate if that interest was disposed of.

If the initial accounting for a business combination is incomplete by the end of the reporting period in which the combination occurs, the Group reports provisional amounts for the items for which the accounting is incomplete. Those provisional amounts are adjusted during the measurement period (see above), or additional assets or liabilities are recognised, to reflect new information obtained about facts and circumstances that existed as of the acquisition date that, if known, would have affected the amounts recognised at that date.

The policy described above is applied to all business combinations that take place on or after January 1, 2011.

#### **Revenue Recognition**

Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable net of sales tax/goods and services tax, trade discounts and returns.

#### Sale of goods

Revenue from sale of goods is recognised when all the following conditions are satisfied:

- the Group has transferred to the customer the significant risks and rewards of ownership of the goods;
- the Group retains neither continuing managerial involvement to the degree usually associated with ownership nor effective control over the goods sold;
- · the amount of revenue can be measured reliably;
- · it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the Group; and
- the costs incurred or to be incurred in respect of the transaction can be measured reliably.





#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

#### Rental income

Rental income is accrued on a time apportion basis, by reference to the agreements entered.

#### Interest income

Interest income is recognised when it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Group and to the Company and the amount of revenue can be measured reliably. Interest income is accrued on a time basis, by reference to the principal outstanding and at the interest rate applicable, which is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts through the expected life of the financial assets to that asset's net carrying amount on initial recognition.

## Dividend income

Dividend income represents gross dividends from unquoted investments and is recognised when the shareholder's right to receive payment is established, provided that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Group and to the Company, and the amount of revenue can be measured reliably.

#### **Segment Reporting**

For management purposes, the Group is organised into operating segments that engages in business activities from which it may earn revenues and incur expenses, including revenues and expenses that related to transactions with any of the Group's other components. The Group's reporting segments were identified based on internal reports that are regularly reviewed by the Group's chief operating decision maker in order to allocate resources to the segment and to assess its performance. The Group's reportable segments are strategic business operations that are managed separately based on the Group's management and internal reporting structure.

#### **Employee Benefits**

### Short-term employee benefits

Wages, salaries, paid annual leave, bonuses and social security contributions are recognised as an expense in the year in which the associated services are rendered by employees of the Group. Short-term accumulating compensated absences such as paid annual leave are recognised when services are rendered by employees that increase their entitlement to future compensated absences. Short-term non-accumulating compensated absences such as sick leave are recognised when the absences occur.

### Defined contribution plans

The Group makes statutory contributions to approved provident funds and the contributions are charged to profit or loss as incurred. The approved provident funds are defined contribution plans. Once the contributions have been paid, there are no further payment obligations.





#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

#### **Foreign Currencies**

The individual financial statements of each group entity are presented in the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entity operates (its functional currency). For the purpose of the consolidated financial statements, the results and financial position of each group entity are expressed in Ringgit Malaysia ("RM"), which is the functional currency of the Company, and also the presentation currency for the consolidated financial statements.

In preparing the financial statements of the individual entities, transactions in currencies other than the functional currency of the entity (foreign currencies) are recorded at the rates of exchange prevailing on the date of the transactions. At the end of each reporting period, monetary items denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated at the rates prevailing at that date. Non-monetary items carried at fair value that are denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated at the rates prevailing at the date when the fair value was determined. Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are not retranslated.

Exchange differences are recognised in profit or loss in the period in which they arise except for:

- exchange differences on foreign currency borrowings relating to assets under construction for future productive use, which are included in the cost of those assets when they are regarded as an adjustment to interest costs on those foreign currency borrowings;
- exchange differences on transactions entered into in order to hedge certain foreign currency risk;
- exchange differences on monetary items receivable from or payable to a foreign operation for which
  settlement is neither planned nor likely to occur (therefore, forming part of the net investment in
  the foreign operation), which are recognised initially in other comprehensive income and reclassified
  from equity to profit or loss on repayment of the monetary items.

For the purpose of presenting consolidated financial statements, the assets and liabilities of the foreign incorporated subsidiary companies of the Group are expressed in RM using exchange rates prevailing at the end of the reporting period. Income and expense items are translated at the average exchange rates for the year, unless exchange rates fluctuated significantly during that year, in which case the exchange rates at the dates of the transactions are used. Exchange differences arising, if any, are recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated in the translation reserve of the Group. Such exchange differences accumulated in the translation reserve of the Group are reclassified to profit or loss in the year in which the foreign incorporated subsidiary company is disposed of when the gain or loss on disposal is recognised.

Goodwill and fair value adjustments on identifiable assets and liabilities arising on the acquisition of a foreign operation are treated as assets and liabilities of the foreign operation and translated at the rate of exchange prevailing at the end of each reporting period. Exchange differences arising are recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated in a separate component of equity.

## **Borrowing Costs**

Borrowing costs directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of qualifying assets, which are assets that necessarily take a substantial period of time to get ready for their intended use or sale, are added to the cost of those assets, until such time as the assets are substantially ready for their intended use or sale.

All other borrowing costs are recognised in profit or loss in the period in which they are incurred.





#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

#### **Taxation**

Income tax expense represents the sum of the tax currently payable and deferred tax.

#### Current tax

The tax currently payable is based on taxable profit for the year. Taxable profit differs from profit as reported in profit or loss because it excludes items of income or expense that are taxable or deductible in other years and it further excludes items that are never taxable or deductible. The liability of the Group and of the Company for current tax is calculated using tax rates that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period.

#### Deferred tax

Deferred tax is recognised on temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the financial statements and the corresponding tax bases used in the computation of taxable profit. Deferred tax liabilities are generally recognised for all taxable temporary differences, and deferred tax assets are generally recognised for all deductible temporary differences, unused tax losses and unused tax credits to the extent that it is probable that taxable profits will be available against which those deductible temporary differences, unused tax losses and unused tax credits can be utilised. Such assets and liabilities are not recognised if the temporary difference arises from goodwill or from the initial recognition (other than in a business combination) of other assets and liabilities in a transaction that affects neither the taxable profit nor the accounting profit.

The tax effects of unutilised reinvestment allowance are only recognised upon actual realisation.

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at the end of each reporting period and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available to allow all or part of the asset to be recovered.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period in which the liability is settled or the asset is realised, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of each reporting period. The measurement of deferred tax liabilities and assets reflects the tax consequences that would follow from the manner in which the Group expects, at the end of the reporting period, to recover or to settle the carrying amount of its assets and liabilities.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when there is a legally enforceable right to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities and when they relate to income taxes levied by the same taxation authority and the Group intends to settle its current tax assets and liabilities on a net basis.

## Current and deferred tax for the year

Current and deferred tax are recognised as an expense or income in profit or loss, except when they relate to items credited or debited directly to other comprehensive income or equity, in which case the tax is also recognised directly in other comprehensive income or equity, or where they arise from the initial accounting for a business combination. In the case of a business combination, the tax effect is taken into account in calculating goodwill or determining the excess of the acquirer's interest in the net fair value of the acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over cost.





#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

## **Property, Plant and Equipment**

Property, plant and equipment are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses, if any.

Freehold land and capital work-in-progress are not amortised/depreciated. Capital work-in-progress comprises contractors' payments and directly attributable costs incurred in preparing these assets for their intended use. Depreciation on assets under construction commences when the assets are ready for their intended use.

Depreciation is recognised so as to write off the cost of assets, other than freehold land and capital work-in-progress, over their estimated useful lives, after taking into account their estimated residual values using the straight-line method on the following bases:

Factory buildings	2% to 5%
Plant and machinery	10% to 25%
Factory, auxiliary and office equipment, furniture and fittings	10% to 28%
Electrical installation	10%
Motor vehicles	20%

The estimated useful lives, residual values and depreciation method are reviewed at the end of each annual reporting period, with the effect of any changes in estimate accounted for on a prospective basis.

The gain or loss arising on the disposal or retirement of an item of property, plant and equipment is determined as the difference between the sale proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset and is recognised in profit or loss.

#### Leases

Leases are classified as finance leases whenever the terms of the lease transfer substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership to the lessee. All other leases are classified as operating leases.

Assets held under finance leases are initially recognised as assets of the Group at their fair values at the inception of the lease or, if lower, at the present values of the minimum lease payments. The corresponding liability to the lessor is included in the statements of financial position as a finance lease obligation.

Lease payments are apportioned between finance expenses and reduction of the lease obligation so as to achieve a constant rate of interest on the remaining balance of the liability. Finance expenses are recognised immediately in profit or loss, unless they are directly attributable to qualifying assets, in which case they are capitalised in accordance with the Group general policy on borrowing costs.

Operating lease payments are recognised as an expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term, except where another systematic basis is more representative of the time pattern in which economic benefits from the leased asset are consumed. Contingent rentals arising under operating leases are recognised as an expense in the period in which they are incurred.

In the event that lease incentives are received to enter into operating leases, such incentives are recognised as a liability. The aggregate benefit of incentives is recognised as a reduction of rental expense on a straight-line basis, except where another systematic basis is more representative of the time pattern in which economic benefits from the leased asset are consumed.





#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

### **Prepaid Lease Payment**

Leasehold land that normally has an indefinite economic life and where title is not expected to pass to the lessee by the end of the lease period is treated as an operating lease. The payment made on entering into or acquiring a leasehold interest is accounted for as prepaid lease payments at the end of the reporting period. In the case of a lease of land and buildings, the prepaid lease payments are allocated whenever necessary, between the land element and buildings element of the lease at the inception of the lease in proportion to their relative fair value.

Prepaid lease payment on leasehold land is stated at surrogate cost less accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment losses, if any.

Long-term and short-term leasehold land is amortised evenly over the lease periods ranging from 49 to 99 years.

#### Goodwill

Goodwill arising in a business combination is initially recognised as an asset at cost and is subsequently measured at cost less any accumulated impairment losses. Goodwill arising on consolidation represents the excess of cost of business combination over the interest of the Group in the net fair values of the identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities recognised of the acquiree at the date of the combination.

Goodwill is not amortised. Instead, it is tested for impairment annually or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that it might be impaired.

For the purpose of impairment testing, goodwill is allocated to each of the cash-generating units of the Group expected to benefit from the synergies of the combination. A cash-generating units to which goodwill has been allocated is tested for impairment annually, or more frequently when there is an indication that the unit may be impaired. If the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit is less than the carrying amount of the unit, the impairment loss is allocated first to reduce the carrying amount of any goodwill allocated to the unit and then to the other assets of the unit pro-rata on the basis of the carrying amount of each asset in the unit. Any impairment loss is recognised immediately in profit or loss and any impairment loss recognised for goodwill is not subsequently reversed.

On disposal of the relevant cash-generating unit, the attributable amount of goodwill is included in the determination of the gain or loss on disposal.

#### Impairment of Assets excluding Goodwill

At the end of each reporting period, the Group and the Company review the carrying amounts of their assets (other than deferred tax asset, inventories and financial assets which are dealt with in their respective policies) to determine if there is any indication that those assets have suffered an impairment loss. If any such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is estimated in order to determine the extent of the impairment loss.





#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

#### Impairment of Assets excluding Goodwill (cont'd)

Where it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of an individual asset, the Group and the Company estimate the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs. Where a reasonable and consistent basis of allocation can be identified, corporate assets are also allocated to individual cash-generating units, or otherwise they are allocated to the smallest group of cash-generating units for which a reasonable and consistent allocation basis can be identified.

Recoverable amount is the higher of fair value less costs to sell and value in use. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset for which the estimates of future cash flows have not been adjusted.

If the recoverable amount of an asset (or cash-generating unit) is estimated to be less than its carrying amount, the carrying amount of the asset (or cash-generating unit) is reduced to its recoverable amount. An impairment loss is recognised immediately in profit or loss.

Where an impairment loss subsequently reverses, the carrying amount of the asset (or cash-generating unit) is increased to the revised estimate of its recoverable amount, but so that the increased carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset (or cash-generating unit) in prior years. A reversal of an impairment loss is recognised immediately in profit or loss.

#### **Inventories**

Inventories are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost is determined on the "Weighted Average" method. The cost of raw materials, packing materials, trading goods, parts and consumables comprise the original purchase price plus cost incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition. The cost of finished goods comprises the cost of raw materials, direct labour and a proportion of production overheads. Net realisable value represents the estimated selling price for inventories less all estimated costs of completion and costs necessary to make the sale.

#### **Provisions**

Provisions are recognised when the Group and the Company have a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of past event and it is probable that the Group and the Company will be required to settle the obligation, and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation.

The amount recognised as a provision is the best estimate of the consideration required to settle the present obligation at the end of the reporting period, taking into account the risks and uncertainties surrounding the obligation. Where a provision is measured using the cash flows estimated to settle the present obligation, its carrying amount is the present value of those cash flows.

When some or all of the economic benefits required to settle a provision are expected to be recovered from a third party, a receivable is recognised as an asset if it is virtually certain that reimbursement will be received and the amount of the receivable can be measured reliably.





#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

#### **Financial Instruments**

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised in the statements of financial position when, and only when the Group and the Company become a party to the contractual provisions of the financial instruments.

Financial assets and financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value, plus transaction costs, except for those financial assets and financial liabilities classified as fair value through profit or loss ("FVTPL"), which are initially measured at fair value. Transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or issue of the financial assets and financial liabilities (other than financial assets and financial liabilities at FVTPL) are added to or deducted from the fair value of the financial assets or financial liabilities, as appropriate, on initial recognition. Transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition of financial assets or financial liabilities at FVTPL are recognised immediately in profit or loss.

#### Effective interest method

The effective interest method is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a financial instrument and of allocating interest income or expense over the relevant period. The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts or payments (including all fees on points paid or received that form an integral part of the effective interest rate, transaction costs and other premiums or discounts) through the expected life of the financial asset or financial liability, or (where appropriate) a shorter period, to the net carrying amount on initial recognition.

Income and expense is recognised on an effective interest basis for debt instruments other than those financial assets or financial liabilities classified as FVTPL.

## (a) Financial assets

Financial assets of the Group are classified into "loans and receivables" and "at FVTPL" categories while financial assets of the Company are classified into "loans and receivable" category. The classification depends on the nature and purpose of the financial assets and is determined at the time of initial recognition.

Where the purchase or sale of a financial asset is under a contract whose terms require delivery of the financial asset within the timeframe established by the market concerned, such financial assets are recognised and derecognised on trade date.

#### (i) Loans and receivables

Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market. Loans and receivables are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less any impairment. Interest income is recognised by applying the effective interest rate, except for short-term receivables when the recognition of interest would be immaterial.





#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

Financial Instruments (cont'd)

Effective interest method (cont'd)

#### (a) Financial assets (cont'd)

### (ii) Financial assets at FVTPL

Financial assets are classified as at FVTPL when the financial asset is either held for trading or it is designated as at FVTPL.

A financial asset is classified as held for trading if:

- it has been acquired principally for the purpose of selling it in the near term; or
- on initial recognition, it is part of a portfolio of identified financial instruments that the Group manages together and has a recent actual pattern of short-term profittaking; or
- it is a derivative that is not designated and effective as a hedging instrument.

A financial asset other than a financial asset held for trading may be designated as at FVTPL upon initial recognition if:

- such designation eliminates or significantly reduces a measurement or recognition inconsistency that would otherwise arise; or
- the financial asset forms part of a group of financial assets or financial liabilities or both, which is managed and its performance is evaluated on a fair value basis, in accordance with the Group's documented risk management or investment strategy, and information about the grouping is provided internally on that basis; or
- it forms part of a contract containing one or more embedded derivatives, and MFRS 139 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement permits the entire combined contract (asset or liability) to be designated as at FVTPL.

Financial assets at FVTPL are stated at fair value, with any gains or losses arising on remeasurement recognised in profit or loss. The net gain or loss recognised in profit or loss incorporates any dividend or interest earned on the financial asset and is included in the "other gains and losses" line item. Fair value is determined in the manner described in Note 31.

#### (iii) Impairment of financial assets

Financial assets, other than those at FVTPL, are assessed for indicators of impairment at the end of each reporting period. Financial assets are considered to be impaired when there is objective evidence that, as a result of one or more events that occurred after the initial recognition of the financial asset, the estimated future cash flows of the investment have been affected.





#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

Financial Instruments (cont'd)

Effective interest method (cont'd)

#### (a) Financial assets (cont'd)

#### (iii) Impairment of financial assets (cont'd)

Objective evidence of impairment could include:

- significant financial difficulty of the issuer or counterparty; or
- breach of contract, such as default or delinquency in interest or principal payments;
   or
- it becoming probable that the borrower will enter bankruptcy or financial reorganisation; or
- the disappearance of an active market for that financial asset because of financial difficulties.

For certain categories of financial asset, such as trade receivables, assets that are assessed not to be impaired individually are, in addition, assessed for impairment on a collective basis. Objective evidence of impairment for a portfolio of receivables could include the Group's and the Company's past experience of collecting payments, an increase in the number of delayed payments in the portfolio past the average credit period, as well as observable changes in national or local economic conditions that correlate with default on receivables.

For financial assets carried at amortised cost, the amount of the impairment loss recognised is the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows, discounted at the financial asset's original effective interest rate.

The carrying amount of the financial asset is reduced by the impairment loss directly for all financial assets with the exception of trade receivables, where the carrying amount is reduced through the use of an allowance account. When a trade receivable is considered uncollectible, it is written off against the allowance account. Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are debited against the allowance account. Changes in the carrying amount of the allowance account are recognised in profit or loss.

If, in a subsequent period, the amount of the impairment loss decreases and the decrease can be related objectively to an event occurring after the impairment was recognised, the previously recognised impairment loss is reversed through profit or loss to the extent that the carrying amount of the financial assets at the date the impairment is reversed does not exceed what the amortised cost would have been had the impairment not been recognised.



### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

Financial Instruments (cont'd)

Effective interest method (cont'd)

#### (a) Financial assets (cont'd)

#### (iv) Derecognition of financial assets

The Group and the Company derecognise a financial asset only when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the asset expire, or when it transfers the financial asset and substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset to another entity. If the Group and the Company neither transfer nor retain substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership and continues to control the transferred asset, the Group and the Company recognise their retained interest in the asset and an associated liability for amounts it may have to pay. If the Group and the Company retain substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of a transferred financial asset, the Group and the Company continue to recognise the financial asset and also recognise a collateralised borrowing for the proceeds received.

On derecognition of a financial asset in its entirety, the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the sum of the consideration received and receivable and the cumulative gain or loss that had been recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated in equity is recognised in profit or loss.

#### (b) Financial liabilities and equity instruments

## (i) Classification as debt or equity

Debt and equity instruments are classified as either financial liabilities or as equity in accordance with the substance of the contractual arrangements and the definition of a financial liability and an equity instrument.

#### (ii) Equity instruments

An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of an entity after deducting all of its liabilities. Equity instruments issued by the Group and by the Company are recognised at the proceeds received, net of direct issue costs.

Repurchase of the Company's own equity instruments is recognised and deducted directly in equity. No gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss on the purchase, sale, issue or cancellation of the Company's own equity instruments.

#### (iii) Financial liabilities

Financial liabilities of the Group and of the Company are classified as either "financial liabilities at FVTPL" or "other financial liabilities" categories.

#### (iv) Financial liabilities at FVTPL

Financial liabilities are classified as at FVTPL when the financial liability is either held for trading or it is designated as at FVTPL.





#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

Financial Instruments (cont'd)

Effective interest method (cont'd)

#### (b) Financial liabilities and equity instruments (cont'd)

#### (iv) Financial liabilities at FVTPL (cont'd)

A financial liability is classified as held for trading if:

- it has been acquired principally for the purpose of repurchasing it in the near term;
   or
- on initial recognition, it is part of a portfolio of identified financial instruments that the Group manages together and has a recent actual pattern of short-term profittaking; or
- it is a derivative that is not designated and effective as a hedging instrument.

A financial liability other than a financial liability held for trading may be designated as at FVTPL upon initial recognition if:

- such designation eliminates or significantly reduces a measurement or recognition inconsistency that would otherwise arise; or
- the financial liability forms part of a group of financial assets or financial liabilities or both, which is managed and its performance is evaluated on a fair value basis, in accordance with the Group's documented risk management or investment strategy, and information about the grouping is provided internally on that basis; or
- it forms part of a contract containing one or more embedded derivatives, and MFRS 139 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement permits the entire combined contract (asset or liability) to be designated as at FVTPL.

Financial liabilities at FVTPL are stated at fair value, with any gains or losses arising on remeasurement recognised in profit or loss. The net gain or loss recognised in profit or loss incorporates any interest paid on the financial liability and is included in the "other gains and losses" line item in profit or loss. Fair value is determined in the manner described in Note 31.

#### (v) Other financial liabilities

Other financial liabilities, including borrowings, are initially measured at fair value, net of transaction costs. Other financial liabilities are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method, with interest expense recognised on an effective yield basis

#### (vi) Derecognition of financial liabilities

The Group and the Company derecognise financial liabilities when, and only when, the Group's and the Company's obligation are discharged, cancelled or they expire. The difference between the carrying amount of the financial liability derecognised and the consideration paid or payable is recognised in profit or loss.





### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

Financial Instruments (cont'd)

Effective interest method (cont'd)

### (c) Derivative financial instruments

The Group enters into foreign exchange forward contracts to manage its exposure to foreign exchange rate risk.

Derivatives are initially recognised at fair value at the date the derivative contract is entered into and are subsequently remeasured to their fair value at the end of each reporting period. The resulting gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss immediately unless the derivative is designated and effective as a hedging instrument, in which event the timing of the recognition in profit or loss depends on the nature of the hedge relationship.

A derivative with a positive fair value is recognised as a financial asset; a derivative with a negative fair value is recognised as a financial liability. A derivative is presented as a non-current asset or a non-current liability if the remaining maturity of the instrument is more than 12 months and it is not expected to be realised or settled within 12 months. Other derivatives are presented as current assets or current liabilities.

#### Statements of Cash Flows

The Group and the Company adopt the indirect method in the preparation of the statements of cash flows.

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash and bank balances, bank overdrafts which form an integral part of the Group's cash management and highly liquid investments with maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition and are readily convertible to cash with insignificant risks of changes in value.

#### 4. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS AND KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY

## (a) Critical judgements in applying the Group's accounting policies

In the process of applying the Group's accounting policies, the directors are of the opinion that there are no instances of application of judgement which are expected to have a significant effect on the amounts recognised in the financial statements.

#### (b) Key sources of estimation uncertainty

In the application of the accounting policies of the Group and of the Company, the directors are required to make estimates and assumptions about the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.





## 4. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS AND KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY (cont'd)

## (b) Key sources of estimation uncertainty (cont'd)

The key assumptions concerning the future, and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the end of the reporting period, that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year, are discussed below:

## (i) Impairment of Goodwill

The Group tests goodwill for impairment annually in accordance with its accounting policy. More regular reviews are performed if events indicate that this is necessary.

For the purpose of assessing impairment, goodwill is allocated to cash-generating units that are expected to benefit from the synergies of the business combination in which the goodwill arose.

Significant judgement is required in the estimation of the present value of future cash flows generated by the cash-generating units, which involve uncertainties and are significantly affected by assumptions used and judgement made regarding estimates of future cash flows and discount rates. Key assumptions used in determining the recoverable amount of cash generating unit based on value-in-use calculations are disclosed in Note 17. Changes in assumptions could significantly affect the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the goodwill was allocated.

## (ii) Impairment of Property, Plant and Equipment

Impairment of Property, Plant and Equipment

The Group assesses impairment of assets whenever the events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount of an asset may not be recoverable, i.e. the carrying amount of the asset is more than the recoverable amount. The Group performs an impairment indicator test annually for signs of impairment of its property, plant and equipment. If there are signs of impairment, then a review of recoverable amounts is performed.

Recoverable amount is measured at the higher of the fair value less cost to sell for that asset and its value-in-use. The value-in-use is the net present value of the projected future cash flow derived from that asset discounted at an appropriate discount rate. Projected future cash flows are based on the Group's estimates calculated using historical, sector and industry trends, general market and economic conditions, changes in technology and other available information. Management of the Group has carried out a review on its property, plant and equipment and concluded that indication of impairment existed on certain property, plant and equipment. In 2014, an impairment loss of RM270,600 was recognised as the carrying amounts were determined to have exceeded their recoverable amounts.



## 4. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS AND KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY (cont'd)

#### (b) Key sources of estimation uncertainty (cont'd)

#### (iii) Estimated Useful Lives of Property, Plant and Equipment

The Group reviews the estimated useful lives of property, plant and equipment at the end of each annual reporting period based on factors such as business plan and strategies, expected level of usage and future technological developments. Future results of operations could be materially affected by changes in these estimates brought about by changes in the factors mentioned above. A reduction in the estimated useful lives of property, plant and equipment would increase the recorded depreciation and decrease the value of property, plant and equipment.

## (iv) Recoverability of Receivables

An allowance is established when there is objective evidence that the Group and the Company will not be able to collect all amounts due according to the original terms of transactions. This is determined based on the ageing profile and collection patterns. Where the expectation is different from the original estimate, such difference will impact the carrying value of the trade and other receivables and doubtful debt expenses in the period in which such estimate has been changed.

#### (v) Inventory Obsolescence

The Group writes off inventories based on an assessment of the recoverability of the inventories through sales and recycling for alternative uses. Write off is applied to inventories where events or changes in circumstances indicate that the costs may not be recoverable.

The identification of obsolete inventories requires use of judgement and estimates.

Where the expectation is different from the original estimate, such difference will impact the carrying values of the inventories and inventories written off/(back) in the period in which such estimate has been changed.

#### 5. REVENUE

	The C	Group	The Co	mpany	
	2015	2014	2015	2014	
	RM	RM	RM	RM	
Sale of manufactured					
products	277,548,095	272,022,597	-	-	
Sale of trading products	22,636,593	24,328,288	-	-	
Dividends (gross) received from					
subsidiary companies			2,021,630	7,154,010	
	300,184,688	296,350,885	2,021,630	7,154,010	



#### 6. SEGMENT REPORTING

Segmental information is presented in respect of the geographical segments of the Group. The segment reporting is presented based on the management and internal reporting structure of the Group.

Information reported to the chief operating decision maker and senior management for the purposes of resource allocation and assessment of performance focused on the operations of the Group by geographical location in Malaysia, People's Republic of China and Europe.

Unallocated corporate assets and liabilities include items that cannot be reasonably allocated to an individual segment.

#### Geographical segments by location of assets

The Group 2015	Malaysia RM	People's Republic of China RM	Europe RM	Eliminations RM	Total RM
Revenue	148,666,292	292,201,650	52,944,019	(193,627,273)	300,184,688
<b>Results</b> Segment results	56,157,560	3,878,513	822,409	(36,431,666)	24,426,816
Investment revenue Finance costs					58,142 (4,178,490)
Profit before tax Income tax expenses					20,306,468 (5,408,542)
Profit for the year					14,897,926
Assets Segment assets Unallocated corporate assets	135,180,073	215,149,072	29,877,786	-	380,206,931 1,477,419
Consolidated total assets					381,684,350
<b>Liabilities</b> Segment liabilities Unallocated corporate liabilities	33,889,127	16,037,881	2,124,654	-	52,051,662 83,428,319
Consolidated total liabilities					135,479,981
Other Information Capital expenditure Depreciation and amortisation	57,136,036	7,363,663	37,706	(1,306,373)	63,231,032
charges Inventories written down to net	5,437,911	14,904,180	54,390	-	20,396,481
realisable value	3,166,711	-	-	-	3,166,711
Property, plant and equipment written off Inventories written off Reversal of inventories written	56,875 50,718	375,099 -	-	-	431,974 50,718
down			76,134		76,134





## 6. **SEGMENT REPORTING** (cont'd)

The Group 2014	Malaysia RM	People's Republic of China RM	Europe RM	Eliminations RM	Total RM
Revenue	159,602,922	270,177,992	55,931,276	(189,361,305)	296,350,885
<b>Results</b> Segment results	33,418,474	1,690,163	3,544,858	(17,579,921)	21,073,574
Investment revenue Finance costs					56,880 (4,588,777)
Profit before tax Income tax expenses					16,541,677 (6,407,827)
Profit for the year					10,133,850
Assets Segment assets Unallocated corporate assets Consolidated total assets	89,264,124	195,948,680	28,010,988	-	313,223,792 947,523 314,171,315
<b>Liabilities</b> Segment liabilities Unallocated corporate liabilities	20,562,785	15,857,239	2,054,465	-	38,474,489 69,509,732
Consolidated total liabilities					107,984,221
Other Information Capital expenditure Depreciation and amortisation	19,854,754	4,992,981	11,603	-	24,859,338
charges Impairment loss on property,	4,435,885	12,405,214	48,351	-	16,889,450
plant and equipment Property, plant and equipment	270,600	-	-	-	270,600
written off Inventories written off	- 498,753	81,146	-	-	81,146 498,753

For the purposes of monitoring segment performance and allocating resources between segments:

- all assets are allocated to reportable segments other than current and deferred tax assets. Goodwill is allocated to reportable segments as described in Note 17; and
- all liabilities are allocated to reportable segments other than borrowings, current and deferred tax liabilities.





## 6. **SEGMENT REPORTING** (cont'd)

Revenue from sales to external customers by location of customers:

	The Group		
	2015	2014	
	RM	RM	
Europe	143,898,229	145,241,845	
North and South America	62,897,964	67,300,537	
Asia	61,132,216	58,849,286	
Rest of the world	32,256,279	24,959,217	
	300,184,688	296,350,885	

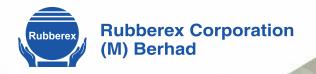
Revenues of approximately RM40,938,000 (2014: RM41,095,000) are derived from a single external customer. These revenues are attributable to the Europe segment.

## 7. INVESTMENT REVENUE

	The Group		The Company	
	2015 RM	2014 RM	2015 RM	2014 RM
Interest income from: Fixed deposits Advances to subsidiary	58,142	56,880	44,849	56,880
companies (Note 20)			873,777	1,253,322
Less: Set off against finance	58,142	56,880	918,626	1,310,202
costs (Note 11)			(873,777)	(1,253,322)
	58,142	56,880	44,849	56,880

The following is an analysis of investment revenue earned on the financial assets by category of assets:

	The Group		The Company	
	2015 RM	2014 RM	2015 RM	2014 RM
Loans and receivables (including fixed deposits, cash and bank balances)	58,142	56,880	918,626	1,310,202





## 8. OTHER GAINS AND LOSSES

OTTER GAINS AND LOSSES	The Group		The Company	
	2015 RM	2014 RM	2015 RM	2014 RM
Unrealised gains/(losses) on foreign exchange Fair value gains/(losses) on financial derivatives	1,473,652	(265,575)	28,647,649	8,310,637
designated as at FVTPL Gain on disposal of property, plant and	114,083	(2,643,941)	-	-
equipment Realised (losses)/gains on	102,524	119,782	-	-
foreign exchange Others	(2,131,028) (811)	(606,129) (5,310)	1,802,169 -	(2,487)
	(441,580)	(3,401,173)	30,449,818	8,308,150

## 9. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS EXPENSES

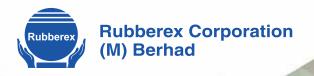
Employee benefits recognised as expense during the financial year are as follows:

	The Group		The Cor	mpany
	2015	2014	2015	2014
	RM	RM	RM	RM
Statutory contributions Other employee	3,978,640	3,108,534	-	-
benefits expenses	42,809,055	37,802,878	-	-
Directors' fees	198,975	197,500	198,975	197,500
	46,986,670	41,108,912	198,975	197,500

Employee benefits expenses include directors' remuneration, salaries, bonuses, statutory contributions and all other employee related expenses.

Included in employee benefits expenses are the following:

	The G	The Group		
	2015 RM	2014 RM		
Rental of hostel	43,789	35,684		





#### 9. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS EXPENSES (cont'd)

Details of remuneration of directors of the Group and of the Company are as follows:

	The G	iroup	The Company	
	2015 RM	2014 RM	2015 RM	2014 RM
Executive directors of the Company: Salaries, allowances				
and bonuses Statutory contributions	515,020 57,000	487,020 53,640	-	-
Executive directors of the subsidiary companies:	572,020	540,660	-	-
Salaries and bonuses Statutory contributions	1,408,827 119,928	1,487,086 82,416	-	-
Non-executive directors:	1,528,755	1,569,502	-	-
Fees	198,975	197,500	198,975	197,500
	2,299,750	2,307,662	198,975	197,500

The estimated monetary value of benefits-in-kind received and receivable by the directors other than in cash from the Group amounted to RM3,000 (2014: RM1,800).

#### Compensation of key management personnel

Key management personnel are defined as those persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Group and of the Company either directly or indirectly. The key management personnel of the Group includes certain members of senior management of the Group.

The remuneration of members of key management personnel of the Group during the year are as follows:

	The G	The Group		
	2015 RM	2014 RM		
Short-term employee benefits Statutory contributions	451,354 48,720	706,172 75,612		
	500,074	781,784		

The estimated monetary value of benefits-in-kind received and receivable by members of key management personnel other than in cash from the Group amounted to RM1,200 (2014: RM1,800).



## 10. OTHER OPERATING INCOME/(EXPENSES)

Included in other operating income/(expenses) are the following:

	The Group		The Company	
	2015	2014	2015	2014
	RM	RM	RM	RM
Rental income	10,938	11,310	-	-
Interest income	-	11,633	-	-
Rental of:				
Premises	(717,731)	(719,215)	-	-
Motor vehicle	(58,282)	-	-	-
Pallet	(6,411)	-	-	-
Office equipment	(2,355)	-	-	-
Auditors' remuneration	(511,549)	(440,303)	(72,500)	(64,000)
Property, plant and				
equipment written off	(431,974)	(81,146)	-	-
Allowance for doubtful debts	(116,526)	(59,803)	-	-
Impairment loss on property,				
plant and equipment	<u> </u>	(270,600)	<u> </u>	-

#### 11. FINANCE COSTS

	The Gr	oup	The Company	
	2015	2014	2015	2014
	RM	RM	RM	RM
Interests on:				
Term loans	2,815,049	1,897,687	1,813,353	1,852,560
Bills payable	412,139	427,204	-	-
Revolving credit	300,635	1,327,953	242,406	1,123,616
Bank overdrafts	154,034	44,822	-	-
Trust receipts	43,696	-	-	-
Bank charges and				
commitment fees	852,088	891,111	1,281	2,203
	4,577,641	4,588,777	2,057,040	2,978,379
Less:				
Interest on term loans capitalised in property,				
plant and equipment	(399,151)	-	-	-
Set off against investment revenue (Note 7)		<del>-</del>	(873,777)	(1,253,322)
	4,178,490	4,588,777	1,183,263	1,725,057

Interest costs on revolving credit and term loans were set off against interest income on advances received from the subsidiary companies in the financial statements of the Company as disclosed in Note 7 as these borrowings were onlent to and utilised by the subsidiary companies.

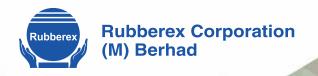




TAX EXTENSES/(INCOME)	The G 2015 RM	roup 2014 RM	The Com 2015 RM	pany 2014 RM
Tax expenses comprise: Current tax expense: Malaysian Foreign Adjustment recognised in the current year in	4,869,000 238,629	4,637,000 1,007,122	-	-
relation to the income tax of prior years	301,948	1,599,694	(2,531)	-
	5,409,577	7,243,816	(2,531)	-
Deferred tax relating to origination and reversal of temporary differences:				
Current year:  Malaysian Foreign Adjustment recognised in the current year in relation to the deferred	(660,464) (7,216)	(499,685) 49,696	-	-
tax of prior years	627,454	(386,000)	-	-
Real Property Gains Tax	(40,226) 39,191	(835,989) -	-	-
	5,408,542	6,407,827	(2,531)	-

Malaysian income tax rate remained at 25% for the years of assessment 2015 and 2014. Taxation for other jurisdictions are calculated at the rates prevailing in the relevant jurisdictions.

The Finance (No. 2) Act 2014, which was gazetted on December 30, 2014, reduced the corporate income tax rate from 25% to 24% with effect from year of assessment 2016. Following this, the applicable tax rate to be used for the measurement of any applicable deferred tax will be the abovementioned expected rate.





## 12. TAX EXPENSES/(INCOME) (cont'd)

The tax expenses/(income) for the year can be reconciled to the accounting profit as follows:

	The G 2015 RM	roup 2014 RM	The Con 2015 RM	npany 2014 RM
Profit before tax	20,306,468	16,541,677	30,707,645	12,984,353
Tax calculated at 25% (2014: 25%) Tax effects of: Unutilised tax losses and unabsorbed tax capital allowances not recognised	5,077,000	4,135,000	7,700,000	3,246,000
as deferred tax assets Expenses that are not deductible	1,160,000	513,000	-	-
in determining taxable profit Utilisation of deductible temporary differences	751,949	1,305,133	400,000	618,000
not recognised previously as deferred tax assets Income that are not taxable	(2,010,000)	-	-	-
in determining taxable profit Effect of different tax rates	(515,000)	(910,000)	(8,100,000)	(3,864,000)
in other jurisdictions Effect on opening balance of	(21,000)	177,000	-	-
deferred tax due to change in tax rate	(3,000)	(26,000)	-	-
•	4,439,949	5,194,133	-	-
Adjustment recognised in the current year in relation to the income tax of prior years Adjustment recognised in the current year in	301,948	1,599,694	(2,531)	-
relation to the deferred tax of prior years Real Property Gains Tax	627,454 39,191	(386,000)	-	-
Tax expenses/(income) recognised in profit or loss	5,408,542	6,407,827	(2,531)	-
	The G 2015 RM	roup 2014 RM	The Con 2015 RM	npany 2014 RM
<b>Current tax assets</b> Tax refund receivables	607,321	307,889	215,493	198,993
Current tax liabilities Income tax payables	937,000	1,156,173	-	-





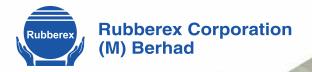
## 12. TAX EXPENSES/(INCOME) (cont'd)

## Deferred tax balances

The Group 2015	As of January 1 RM	Recognised in profit or loss RM	Net foreign currency exchange differences RM	As of December 31 RM
Provision for rental Property, plant and equipment Unrealised gain on inventories Changes in fair value of derivative Unrealised exchange differences on receivables Unutilised tax losses and unabsorbed	(49,703) (273,183) 375,429 621,000 (84,000)	50,650 1,721,112 629,464 (621,000) (187,000)	(947) (2,426) - -	1,445,503 1,004,893 - (271,000)
tax capital allowances	589,543	(1,553,000) 40,226	(3,373)	(1,553,000)
The Group 2014  Deferred tax (liabilities)/assets Provision for rental Property, plant and equipment Unrealised gain on inventories Changes in fair value of derivative	- (569,183) 515,744 -	(49,696) 296,000 (140,315) 621,000	(7) - - -	(49,703) (273,183) 375,429 621,000
Unrealised exchange differences on receivables	(193,000)	109,000	-	(84,000)
_	(246,439)	835,989	(7)	589,543

The deferred tax assets are in respect of the following:

	The G	iroup	The Company	
	2015 RM	2014 RM	2015 RM	2014 RM
Tax effects of:				
Temporary differences arising from property, plant and equipment	(134,795)	(272,795)	-	-
Unrealised gain on inventories	1,004,893	375,429	-	-
Changes in fair value of derivative Unrealised exchange differences	-	621,000	-	-
on receivables	-	(84,000)		
	870,098	639,634	-	-





## 12. TAX EXPENSES/(INCOME) (cont'd)

The deferred tax liabilities are in respect of the following:

	The G	iroup	The Co	mpany
	2015	2014	2015	2014
	RM	RM	RM	RM
Tax effects of: Temporary differences arising from				
property, plant and equipment	1,580,298	(388)	-	-
Provision of rental Unrealised exchange differences	-	(49,703)	-	-
on receivables Unutilised tax losses and unabsorbed tax capital	(271,000)	-	-	-
allowances	(1,553,000)			
	(243,702)	(50,091)	-	_

As of December 31, 2015, the amount of deductible temporary differences of the Group of which deferred tax assets are not recognised in the financial statements, are as follows:

The Group	2015 RM	2014 RM
Unutilised tax losses and unabsorbed tax capital allowances	19,819,000	20,587,000





## 13. EARNINGS PER SHARE

The basic and diluted earnings per share are calculated as follows:

Basic and Diluted	The Group			
	2015 RM	2014 RM		
Profit for the year attributable to owners of the Company	14,897,926	10,133,850		
	2015 Shares	2014 Shares		
Number of ordinary shares in issue as of January 1 Less: Shares repurchased as of January 1	229,278,817 (1,982,200)	229,278,817 (1,960,200)		
Resale of treasury shares Shares repurchased	227,296,617 526,617 (9,167)	227,318,617		
Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue	227,814,067	227,308,950		
	2015	2014		
Basic and diluted earnings per ordinary share (sen)	6.54	4.46		

## 14. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

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The Group	Freehold land RM	Factory buildings RM	Plant and machinery RM	Factory, auxiliary and office equipment, furniture and fittings RM	Electrical installation RM	Motor vehicles RM	Capital work-in progress RM	Total RM
Cost								
As of January 1, 2014	3,519,496	54,090,361	218,447,235	10,213,362	-	2,745,404	20,956,926	309,972,784
Additions	-	1,157,201	8,631,843	819,364	33,312	350,560	13,867,058	24,859,338
Disposals	-	-	-	-	-	(626,098)	(2,971,091)	(3,597,189)
Write off	-	-	(177,454)	(1,215)	-	-	-	(178,669)
Reclassification Net foreign currency	-	975,586	7,182,764	-	-	69,440	(8,227,790)	-
exchange differences	-	1,582,731	5,169,691	55,818	115,584	36,865	238,587	7,199,276
As of December 31, 2014	3,519,496	57,805,879	239,254,079	11,087,329	148,896	2,576,171	23,863,690	338,255,540
Additions	25,545	1,389,361	12,247,120	938,693	9,991	530,825	48,089,497	63,231,032
Disposals	-	-	-	-	-	(335,149)	-	(335,149)
Write off	-	-	(1,373,172)	(26,165)	-	-	-	(1,399,337)
Reclassification Net foreign currency	-	5,330,272	14,375,131	274,491	719,185	-	(20,699,079)	-
exchange differences	-	6,816,798	22,069,457	400,136	20,017	195,805	1,737,085	31,239,298
As of December 31, 2015	3,545,041	71,342,310	286,572,615	12,674,484	898,089	2,967,652	52,991,193	430,991,384



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#### PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (cont'd)

The Group	Freehold land RM	Factory buildings RM	Plant and machinery RM	auxiliary and office equipment, furniture and fittings RM	Electrical installation RM	Motor vehicles RM	Capital work-in progress RM	Total RM
Accumulated depreciation and impairment								
As of January 1, 2014	-	16,250,852	150,733,907	8,725,720	-	2,015,404	-	177,725,883
Charge for the year	-	1,574,356	14,248,434	481,347	-	340,464	-	16,644,601
Disposals	-	-	(00.007)	- (CEC)	-	(563,488)	-	(563,488)
Write off Reclassification	-	-	(96,867) (56,709)	(656)	-	- 56,709	-	(97,523)
Impairment loss recognised	-	-	(30,709)	-	-	30,709	-	-
for the year	_	-	265,372	5,228	-	-	-	270,600
Net foreign currency				,				,,,,,,,
exchange differences	-	193,610	2,696,952	58,076	-	28,467	-	2,977,105
As of Docombox 21, 2014		10 010 010	167 701 000	0.260.715		1 077 556		106 057 179
As of December 31, 2014 Charge for the year	-	18,018,818 1,954,487	167,791,089 17,101,396	9,269,715 713,919	63,504	1,877,556 276,887	-	196,957,178 20,110,193
Disposals	_	1,554,467	17,101,550	713,313	05,504	(301,634)	-	(301,634)
Write off	-	-	(943,814)	(23,549)	-	-	-	(967,363)
Reclassification	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Impairment loss recognised								
for the year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Net foreign currency		850,540	11,706,758	311,689		146 217		12.015.204
exchange differences	-	650,540	11,700,736	311,009	-	146,217	-	13,015,204
As of December 31, 2015	-	20,823,845	195,655,429	10,271,774	63,504	1,999,026	-	228,813,578
Carrying amount								
As of December 31, 2015	3,545,041	50,518,465	90,917,186	2,402,710	834,585	968,626	52,991,193	202,177,806
As of December 31, 2014	3,519,496	39,787,061	71,462,990	1,817,614	148,896	698,615	23,863,690	141,298,362

Factory.

In 2014, one of the subsidiary companies ceased its production line in supported gloves. The Group carried out a review of the recoverable amount of that production line and related equipment on the basis of fair value less costs of disposal. The review led to the recognition of an impairment loss of RM270,600 in profit or loss, with no recoverable amount as of December 31, 2014.

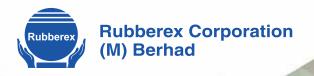
Certain factory buildings of the Group with carrying value of RM11,712,116 (2014: RM7,574,148) as of December 31, 2015 are charged to a licensed bank for facilities granted to a subsidiary company as disclosed in Note 27.

Included in property, plant and equipment of the Group is interest on term loan capitalised of RM399,151 (2014: Nil).



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#### 15. PREPAID LEASE PAYMENTS

The Group	Long-term leasehold land RM	Short-term leasehold land RM	Total RM
At cost As of January 1, 2014 Net foreign currency exchange differences	1,731,254	14,079,464 452,721	15,810,718 452,721
As of December 31, 2014 Net foreign currency exchange differences	1,731,254 -	14,532,185 1,979,390	16,263,439 1,979,390
As of December 31, 2015	1,731,254	16,511,575	18,242,829
Accumulated amortisation As of January 1, 2014 Amortisation for the year Net foreign currency exchange differences	370,468 29,892	1,580,384 214,957 78,133	1,950,852 244,849 78,133
As of December 31, 2014 Amortisation for the year Net foreign currency exchange differences	400,360 34,978	1,873,474 251,310 340,518	2,273,834 286,288 340,518
As of December 31, 2015	435,338	2,465,302	2,900,640
Carrying amount As of December 31, 2015	1,295,916	14,046,273	15,342,189
As of December 31, 2014	1,330,894	12,658,711	13,989,605
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Short-term leasehold land of a subsidiary company with carrying amount of RM9,251,343 (2014: RM7,943,540) is charged to a licensed bank for facilities granted to a subsidiary company as disclosed in Note 27.

## 16. INVESTMENT IN SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES

The Company	2015 RM	2014 RM
Unquoted shares, at cost: In Malaysia Outside Malaysia	27,353,102 32,711,191	27,353,102 32,711,191
Amount owing by subsidiary companies	60,064,293 154,120,817	60,064,293 136,949,003
	214,185,110	197,013,296

The amount owing by subsidiary companies is treated as net investment in foreign operations as the settlement is neither planned nor likely to occur in the foreseeable future.





## 16. INVESTMENT IN SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES (cont'd)

The subsidiary companies are as follows:

Name of Company	Country of Incorporation		e Equity erest 2014 %	Principal Activities
Direct subsidiary companies	meorporation	70	70	Timelpai Activities
Rubberex (M) Sdn. Berhad	Malaysia	100	100	Manufacturing and sales of household and industrial rubber gloves.
Filrex (Malaysia) Sdn. Bhd.	Malaysia	100	100	Ceased its business activities since January 1, 2007.
Diamond Grip (M) Sdn. Bhd.	Malaysia	100	100	Manufacturing and sales of industrial rubber gloves.
Pioneer Vantage Limited *	Hong Kong	100	100	Investment holding.
Rubberex (Hong Kong) Limited *	Hong Kong	100	100	Trading of gloves and other latex products.
Lifestyle Investment (Hong Kong) Limited *	Hong Kong	100	100	Investment holding.
Indirect subsidiary companies				
Held through Rubberex (M) Sdn. E	Berhad			
Rubberex Marketing (M) Sdn. Bhd.	Malaysia	100	100	Trading of gloves, household items, kitchen items and personal protective products.
Rubberex Spain, S.L.*	Spain	100	100	Trading of gloves, household items, kitchen items and personal protective products.
Held through Diamond Grip (M) S	dn. Bhd.			
Rubberex Alliance Sdn. Bhd.	Malaysia	100	100	Manufacturing and sale of disposable gloves.
Held through Pioneer Vantage Lim	nited			
LPL (Hui Zhou) Glove Co. Limited ^	People's Republic of China	100	100	Manufacturing and sales of industrial and disposable gloves.





#### 16. INVESTMENT IN SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES (cont'd)

	Effective Equity Interest					
Name of Company	Country of Incorporation	<b>2015</b> %	<b>2014</b> %	Principal Activities		
Indirect subsidiary companies (cont	'd)					

## Held through Lifestyle Investment (Hong Kong) Limited

<sup>\*</sup> The financial statements of these companies are examined by auditors other than the auditors of the Company.

### **Composition of the Group**

Information about the composition of the Group at the end of the reporting period is as follows:

Principal activity	Place of incorporation and operation	Number of wholly-owned subsidiaries	
		2015	2014
Manufacturing and sale of household and industrial rubber gloves	Malaysia	1	1
Manufacturing and sale of industrial rubber gloves	Malaysia	1	1
Manufacturing and sale of disposal gloves	Malaysia	1	-
Manufacturing and sale of industrial and disposable gloves	People's Republic of China	2	2
Investment holding	Hong Kong	2	2
Trading of gloves and other latex products	Hong Kong	1	1
Trading of gloves, household items, kitchen items and personal protective products	Malaysia Spain	1 1	1 1
Dormant	Malaysia	1	2
		11	11
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<sup>^</sup> The financial statements of these companies are examined by a member firm of auditors of the Company.





#### 17. GOODWILL ON CONSOLIDATION

The Group	2015 RM	2014 RM
Cost: At beginning and end of year	2,793,422	2,793,422

#### Impairment tests for cash-generating units ("CGU") containing goodwill

The Group tests goodwill annually for impairment, or more frequently if there are indications that goodwill might be impaired.

The carrying amount of goodwill is allocated to the manufacturing operations of Diamond Grip (M) Sdn. Bhd..

The recoverable amount of a CGU is determined based on value-in-use calculations. These calculations use pre-tax cash flow projections based on a financial forecast approved by management covering a five year period from 2016 to 2020. The following key assumptions are used to generate the financial forecast:

Sales volume	Remained unchanged
Inflation rate	3.80% per annum
Discount rate	7.80%

Receivables and payables turnover period are estimated to be consistent with the current financial year.

The above assumptions were determined based on business past performance and management's expectations of market development.

The Group believes that any reasonable possible changes in the assumptions applied are not likely to materially cause the recoverable amount of the CGU to be lower than the carrying amount of CGU and the allocated goodwill.

#### 18. INVENTORIES

The Group	2015 RM	2014 RM
Finished and trading goods Raw materials Packing materials Parts and consumables	53,192,645 16,736,483 2,595,123 812,709	42,791,068 17,442,533 2,262,178 595,249
	73,336,960	63,091,028

The cost of inventories recognised as an expense during the year was RM201,907,453 (2014: RM207,178,607).





#### **18. INVENTORIES** (cont'd)

Included in cost of inventories recognised as an (expense)/income are the following:

The Group	2015 RM	2014 RM
Reversal of inventories written down Finished and trading goods written down to net	76,134	-
realisable value	(3,166,711)	-
Raw materials written off	(50,718)	(316,449)
Trading goods written off	-	(120,504)
Parts and consumables written off	-	(61,800)

#### 19. TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

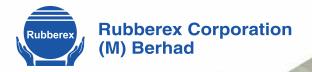
The Group	2015 RM	2014 RM
Trade receivables Less: Allowance for doubtful debts	46,180,856 (510,991)	36,416,212 (348,894)
Other receivables Goods and service tax receivable	45,669,865 17,097,000 1,591,822	36,067,318 11,263,716
	64,358,687	47,331,034

The currency profile of trade and other receivables is as follows:

The Group	2015 RM	2014 RM
United States Dollar Chinese Renminbi Euro Ringgit Malaysia Hong Kong Dollar Swiss Franc	31,392,737 16,383,363 14,072,074 2,991,685 29,819	24,082,500 9,945,832 12,149,027 1,141,432 24,275 336,862
	64,869,678	47,679,928

Trade receivables comprise amounts receivable for the sale of goods. The credit period granted on sale of goods ranged from 15 to 150 days (2014: 15 to 150 days). No interest is charged on overdue outstanding trade receivables. An allowance has been made for estimated irrecoverable amounts of trade receivables of RM510,991 (2014: RM348,894) based on the past default experience of the Group.

Other receivables of the Group comprise mainly advance payments of RM2,692,211 (2014: RM1,450,298) to the Chinese Government for acquisition of land use rights in People's Republic of China of which the land title has not been issued; proceeds receivable from China Government for the surrender of land use rights of RM3,881,986 (2014: RM3,308,945); and advance payments of RM3,257,561 (2014: RM481,232) to suppliers for purchase of raw materials and property, plant and equipment.





#### 19. TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES (cont'd)

Movement in the allowance for doubtful debts is as follows:

The Group	2015 RM	2014 RM
Balance at January 1 Increase in allowance recognised in profit or loss Net foreign currency exchange differences	348,894 116,526 45,571	308,257 59,803 (19,166)
Balance at December 31	510,991	348,894
Ageing of impaired trade receivables:  The Group	2015 RM	2014 RM
More than 150 days	510,991	348,894

Included in trade receivables of the Group are receivables with total carrying amount of RM7,161,960 (2014: RM2,694,290) which are past due at the end of the reporting period for which the Group has not recognised allowance for doubtful debts as there have not been significant changes in credit quality and the amounts are still considered recoverable. The Group does not hold any collateral over these balances nor does it has a legal right to offset against any amounts owed by the Group to the counterparties.

The Group seeks to maintain strict control over its outstanding trade receivables and has a credit period policy to minimise credit risk. Overdue balances are reviewed by management at least twice a month.

Ageing of trade receivables which are past due but not impaired at the end of the reporting period are as follows:

2015 RM	2014 RM
4,554,951	1,482,667
1,067,634	847,965
614,959	104,837
704,140	31,141
220,276	227,680
7,161,960	2,694,290
	<b>RM</b> 4,554,951 1,067,634 614,959 704,140 220,276





#### 20. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The amount owing by/(to) subsidiary companies arose mainly from advances and expenses paid on behalf which are unsecured and are interest-free except for certain advances granted to certain subsidiary companies which bear interest at rates ranging from 5.62% to 7.85% (2014: 5.33% to 7.85%) per annum.

Amount owing by subsidiary companies are denominated in Ringgit Malaysia.

The currency profile of amount owing to subsidiary companies is as follows:

The Company	2015 RM	2014 RM
Ringgit Malaysia Hong Kong Dollar	12,119,334 -	4,384,444 2,451,427
	12,119,334	6,835,871

The amounts owing by/(to) subsidiary companies, classified as current assets/(liabilities), are repayable upon demand and will be settled in cash. The amount owing by subsidiary companies treated as net investment in foreign operations is disclosed in Note 16. No guarantees have been given or received. No expense has been recognised in the year for bad or doubtful debts in respect of the amounts owing by related parties.

During the financial year, transactions undertaken by the Company with its subsidiary companies are as follows:

	2015 RM	2014 RM
Advances received - net Interest on advances received/receivable (Note 7) Dividend income Repayment of advances granted - net	5,400,000 873,777 2,021,630 13,751,849	32,034,931 1,253,322 7,154,010

The transactions with subsidiary companies are aggregated as these transactions are similar in nature.

#### 21. OTHER ASSETS

	The Gr	The Group		pany
	2015 RM	2014 RM	2015 RM	2014 RM
Refundable deposits Prepaid expenses	709,185 331,724	369,733 689,982	1,000	1,000
	1,040,909	1,059,715	1,000	1,000





#### 22. OTHER FINANCIAL ASSETS

The Group	2015		2014 RM RM
Derivative assets carried at FVTPL - foreign currency forward contracts		-	133,713

In 2014, the Group entered into foreign currency forward contracts in the normal course of business to manage its exposure against foreign currency fluctuation on foreign receipts and payments.

#### 23. CASH AND BANK BALANCES

	The Group		The Company	
	2015 RM	2014 RM	2015 RM	2014 RM
Fixed deposits with a licensed bank Cash and bank balances	1,300,000 19,856,958	1,300,000 42,226,913	1,300,000 205,540	1,300,000 9,442,830
	21,156,958	43,526,913	1,505,540	10,742,830

The fixed deposits of the Group and of the Company have an average maturity of 1 month (2014: 1 month) with average effective interest rate of 3.45% (2014: 3.20%) per annum.

The currency profile of cash and bank balances is as follows:

	The G	iroup
	2015	2014
	RM	RM
United States Dollar	12,009,779	16,794,719
Ringgit Malaysia	3,680,614	17,532,585
Chinese Renminbi	2,968,165	4,848,889
Euro	1,999,491	3,938,596
Hong Kong Dollar	271,521	217,012
Great Britain Pound	227,388	195,112
	21,156,958	43,526,913
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Cash and bank balances of the Company are denominated in Ringgit Malaysia.



#### 24. SHARE CAPITAL AND TREASURY SHARES

#### (a) Share Capital

	Par value RM	2015 Number of ordinary shares	The Group and 2014 Number of ordinary shares	The Company 2015 RM	2014 RM
Authorised: As of January 1 and December 31	0.50	400,000,000	400,000,000	200,000,000	200,000,000
<b>Issued and fully paid:</b> As of January 1 and December 31	0.50	229,278,817	229,278,817	114,639,408	114,639,408

#### (b) Treasury Shares

	2015 Number of ordinary shares	The Group and 2014 Number of ordinary shares	d The Company 2015 RM	2014 RM
As of January 1 Repurchased during the year Sold during the year	1,982,200 25,000 (2,007,200)	1,960,200 22,000 -	1,419,529 19,021 (1,438,550)	1,404,842 14,687
As of December 31	_	1,982,200	_	1,419,529

The shareholders of the Company, by an ordinary resolution passed at the Annual General Meeting ("AGM") held on May 20, 2015, renewed the approval for the Company to repurchase its own shares. The directors of the Company are committed to enhancing the value of the Company to its shareholders and believe that the repurchase plan can be applied in the best interests of the Group and of the Company.

During the year, the Company repurchased 25,000 (2014: 22,000) ordinary shares from the open market of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad. The total amount paid for acquisition of shares was RM19,021 (2014: RM14,687) and has been deducted from equity. The average price paid for the shares repurchased was RM0.76 (2014: RM0.67) per share. The repurchase transactions were financed by internally generated funds. The shares repurchased are being held as Treasury Shares in accordance with the requirements of Section 67A of the Companies Act, 1965.

During the year, the Company also sold all its 2,007,200 (2014: Nil) units of the treasury shares in the open market of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad for RM1,607,101 (2014: Nil) to increase the working capital of the Company. The average selling price of the treasury shares was RM0.80 (2014: Nil) per share. The resulting premium arising from the treasury shares sold of RM168,551 (2014: Nil) has been credited to the share premium account.

As of December 31, 2015, there is no treasury shares held by the Company. The number of ordinary shares of RM0.50 each in issue and fully paid after excluding the Treasury Shares as of December 31, 2014 was 227,296,617.

The mandate given by the shareholders for the Company to repurchase its own shares will expire at the forthcoming AGM and an ordinary resolution will be tabled at the AGM for shareholders to grant a fresh mandate for another year.



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#### 25. RESERVES

	The Group		The Company	
	2015 RM	2014 RM	2015 RM	2014 RM
Non-distributable reserves: Share premium Translation reserve: Exchange differences arising on translation of financial statements	29,503,381	29,334,830	29,503,381	29,334,830
of foreign subsidiary companies Exchange differences arising from the translation of net investment	84,467,769	25,445,098	-	-
in foreign entities Capital reserve	(30,685,000) (2,727,752)	(2,037,352) (2,727,752)	-	-
	80,558,398	50,014,824	29,503,381	29,334,830
<b>Distributable reserve:</b> Retained earnings	51,006,563	42,952,391	43,200,528	19,334,106
	131,564,961	92,967,215	72,703,909	48,668,936

## Share premium

Share premium arose from the following:

	The Co	mpany
	2015	2014
	RM	RM
Exercise of share options in 2004	484,120	484,120
Exercise of Warrants and share options in 2005	9,605,843	9,605,843
Exercise of share options in 2006	601,883	601,883
Exercise of share options in 2007	96,040	96,040
Conversion of ICULS in 2008	2,538,078	2,538,078
Resale of treasury shares in 2009	1,316,464	1,316,464
Conversion of ICULS in 2009	6,109,673	6,109,673
Exercise of share options in 2009	1,950,854	1,950,854
Exercise of Warrants in 2009	69	69
Conversion of ICULS in 2010	1,359,024	1,359,024
Exercise of Warrants in 2010	1,400	1,400
Conversion of ICULS in 2011	77,361	77,361
Exercise of Warrants in 2012	3,630	3,630
Conversion of ICULS in 2012	5,190,391	5,190,391
Sale of treasury shares in 2015	168,551	
	29,503,381	29,334,830



#### 25. RESERVES (cont'd)

#### Translation reserve

Translation reserve represents the exchange differences arising on translation of financial statements of foreign subsidiary companies and arising on translation of monetary items receivable from foreign operations for which settlement is neither planned nor likely to occur (therefore, forming part of the net investment in the foreign operations) that are taken up in other comprehensive income and accumulated in equity. Such exchange differences are recognised as income or expense in profit or loss, in the period in which the foreign subsidiary companies are disposed of.

#### Capital reserve

Capital reserve represents the excess of the purchase consideration for the acquisition of shares in the subsidiary companies from non-controlling interests over the share of the identifiable net assets of the subsidiary companies at the date of acquisition. The acquisition constitutes a capital transaction with owners, and the excess of purchase consideration over share of net assets is therefore recorded as a capital reserve.

Subsequent changes in the ownership interests in the subsidiary companies that do not result in a loss of control are also adjusted in capital reserve. Any differences between the amount by which the non-controlling interest is adjusted and the fair value of the consideration paid or received shall be recognised directly in capital reserve and attributed to the owners of the Company (controlling entity). Such capital reserve is recognised as expense in profit or loss in the period in which the subsidiary companies are disposed of.

#### Retained earnings

The entire retained earnings of the Company as of December 31, 2015 is available for distribution as single tier dividends to the shareholders of the Company.

#### 26. DIVIDENDS

	<b>←</b> The Group and The Company  Net dividend per share			
	2015 RM	2014 RM	2015 sen	2014 sen
First interim dividend paid - 1.5 sen per share, single tier (2014: 1.5 sen per share, tax-exempt) Second interim dividend paid - 1.5 sen per share, single tier (2014: 2.0 sen	3,410,798	3,409,778	1.50	1.50
per share, tax-exempt)	3,432,956	4,545,932	1.50	2.00
	6,843,754	7,955,710	3.00	3.50

A first interim dividend of 1.50 sen per ordinary share, single tier, amounting to RM3,410,798, computed based on the issued and paid-up capital of 229,278,817 ordinary shares of RM0.50 each, less treasury shares of 1,892,200 held by the Company, was declared and paid in respect of the current financial year.

A second interim dividend of 1.50 sen per ordinary shares, single tier, amounting to RM3,432,956 computed based on the issued and paid-up capital of 229,278,817 ordinary shares of RM0.50 each, less treasury shares of 415,000 held by the Company, was declared and paid in respect of the current financial year.



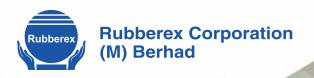


## 27. BORROWINGS

	The Group		The Co	mpany
	2015	2014	2015	2014
	RM	RM	RM	RM
Unsecured:				
Term loans	57,077,469	31,800,000	25,875,000	24,000,000
Bills payable	12,915,635	13,999,077	-	-
Bank overdrafts	6,822,513	504,391	-	-
Revolving credits	3,000,000	22,000,000	-	21,500,000
Trust receipts	2,432,000	-	-	-
	82,247,617	68,303,468	25,875,000	45,500,000
Less: Amount due within 12 months (shown under				
current liabilities)	(42,210,148)	(50,108,468)	(10,200,000)	(33,125,000)
Non-current portion	40,037,469	18,195,000	15,675,000	12,375,000

The non-current portion is repayable as follows:

	The Group		The Company	
	2015 RM	2014 RM	2015 RM	2014 RM
More than 1 year but				
not later than 2 years More than 2 years but	14,240,000	12,840,000	6,000,000	10,200,000
not later than 5 years	25,797,469	5,355,000	9,675,000	2,175,000
	40,037,469	18,195,000	15,675,000	12,375,000





#### 27. BORROWINGS (cont'd)

Analysis of borrowings by currency is as follows:

The Group 2015	Ringgit Malaysia RM	United States Dollar RM	Total RM
Term loans Bills payable Bank overdrafts Revolving credits Trust receipts	57,077,469 9,929,000 6,822,513 3,000,000 2,432,000	2,986,635 - - -	57,077,469 12,915,635 6,822,513 3,000,000 2,432,000
-	79,260,982	2,986,635	82,247,617
The Group 2014			
Term loans Revolving credits Bills payable Bank overdrafts	31,800,000 22,000,000 5,521,000 504,391	8,478,077 - -	31,800,000 22,000,000 13,999,077 504,391
	59,825,391	8,478,077	68,303,468

Borrowings of the Company are denominated in Ringgit Malaysia.

The effective interest rates per annum are as follows:

	The Group		The Company	
	<b>2015</b> %	2014 %	<b>2015</b> %	<b>2014</b> %
Term loans Revolving credits Bills payable Bank overdrafts Trust receipts	5.14 - 6.16 5.15 - 7.85 2.00 - 4.62 7.35 - 8.10 3.94 - 4.05	5.33 - 6.16 4.64 - 7.85 2.00 - 7.70 7.10 - 7.85	5.62 - 6.16 7.85 - -	5.33 - 6.16 7.85 - -

The Company has three term loans:

- (a) a five (5) year term loan of RM25,000,000 (2014: RM25,000,000) which is repayable by ten (10) equal semi-annual instalments commencing December 26, 2011;
- (b) a five (5) year term loan of RM17,000,000 (2014: RM17,000,000) which is repayable by ten (10) equal semi-annual instalments commencing November 1, 2012; and
- (c) a five (5) year term loan of RM21,500,000 (2014: RM21,500,000) which is repayable by twenty (20) equal quarterly instalments commencing June 30, 2015.





#### **27. BORROWINGS** (cont'd)

One of the subsidiary companies has two term loans:

- (a) a five (5) year term loan of RM13,200,000 (2014: RM13,200,000) which is repayable by twenty (20) equal quarterly instalments commencing June 26, 2015; and
- (b) a five (5) year term loan of RM28,000,000 (2014: Nil) of which RM19,982,469 has been drawndown, which will be repayable by twenty (20) equal quarterly instalments of RM1,400,000 each commencing the first quarter of full drawdown.

As of December 31, 2015, banking facilities of the Group and of the Company are as follows:

	The Group		The Company	
	2015	2014	2015	2014
	RM	RM	RM	RM
Secured:	5 002 000	5 620 000		
Other banking facilities	6,803,000	5,630,000	-	-
Unsecured:				
Term loans	104,700,000	76,700,000	63,500,000	63,500,000
Bank overdrafts, bills payable and other				
banking facilities	304,276,000	311,497,000	110,000,000	137,000,000

The Company's term loans and other banking facilities are guaranteed by its subsidiary companies and also secured by letters of negative pledge from the Company and its subsidiary companies.

Banking facilities of the Group to the extent of RM6,803,000 (2014: RM5,630,000) are secured by a charge over certain factory buildings and short-term leasehold land of subsidiary companies as disclosed in Note 14 and 15 respectively.





#### 28. TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

	The Group	
	2015 RM	2014 RM
Trade payables Other payables for consumables, utilities, services, maintenance of property, plant and equipment and	15,830,546	19,142,022
advanced payment received Goods and services tax payable	28,662,580 5,932	12,236,024
	44,499,058	31,378,046

The currency profile of trade and other payables is as follows:

	The G	iroup
	2015	2014
	RM	RM
Ringgit Malaysia	26,520,954	12,164,319
Chinese Renminbi	11,468,960	10,181,499
United States Dollar	4,777,875	7,032,058
Euro	1,634,907	1,921,722
Hong Kong Dollar	96,362	78,448
	44,499,058	31,378,046

Trade and other payables comprise amounts outstanding for trade purchases and ongoing costs. The credit period granted to the Group for trade purchases ranged from 15 to 75 days (2014: 15 to 75 days). No interest is charged on overdue outstanding trade payables. The Group has financial risk management policies in place to ensure that all payables are paid within the pre-agreed credit terms.

The amounts owing to other payables are unsecured, interest-free and are repayable on demand.

#### 29. OTHER LIABILITIES - ACCRUED EXPENSES

The currency profile of accrued expenses is as follows:

	The Group	
	2015 RM	2014 RM
Ringgit Malaysia Chinese Renminbi United States Dollar Euro Hong Kong Dollar	3,716,423 1,991,130 1,310,915 489,747 39,024	3,109,926 1,175,604 41,214 132,743 39,163
	7,547,239	4,498,650

Other liabilities of the Company are denominated in Ringgit Malaysia.





#### 30. OTHER FINANCIAL LIABILITIES

The Group	2014 RM	2013 RM
Derivative liabilities carried at FVTPL - foreign currency forward contracts (net)	5,365	2,597,793

The Group enters into foreign currency forward contracts in the normal course of business to manage its exposure against foreign currency fluctuation on foreign receipts and payments.

#### 31. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS, FINANCIAL RISKS AND CAPITAL RISKS MANAGEMENT

## Categories of financial instruments

	The G	iroup	The Company	
	2015 RM	2014 RM	2015 RM	2014 RM
Financial assets				
Loans and receivables:				
Trade and other receivables	62,766,865	47,331,034		
Amount owing by	02,700,003	47,331,034	-	-
subsidiary companies	_	_	9,723,095	6,514,428
Refundable deposits	709,185	369,733	1,000	1,000
Cash and cash equivalents	21,156,958	43,526,913	1,505,540	10,742,830
Fair value through				
profit or loss:				
Derivative assets -				
foreign currency forward contracts		122 712		
forward contracts		133,713		
Financial liabilities				
Other financial liabilities:				
Trade and				
other payables	44,493,126	31,378,046	-	-
Other liabilities -				
accrued expenses	7,547,239	4,498,650	292,587	245,861
Amount owing to subsidiary companies	_	_	12,119,334	6,835,871
Borrowings	82,247,617	68,303,468	25,875,000	45,500,000
Fair value through	02/2 /0	00,000, 100	23/07.3/000	.5,555,555
profit or loss:				
Derivative liabilities -				
foreign currency				
forward contracts	5,365	2,597,793	-	





#### 31. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS, FINANCIAL RISKS AND CAPITAL RISKS MANAGEMENT (cont'd)

#### **Financial Risk Management Objectives and Policies**

The operations of the Group and of the Company are subjected to a variety of financial risks, including market risk, credit risk, liquidity risk and cash flow risk. The principal objective of the Group and of the Company is to minimise its exposure to risks and/or costs associated with the financing, investing and operating activities of the Group and of the Company. Management continually monitors the Group's and the Company's risk management process to ensure that an appropriate balance between risk and control is achieved. Risk management policies and systems are reviewed regularly to reflect changes in the market conditions and the Group's and the Company's activities.

#### (a) Market risk

The Group and the Company are exposed primarily to the risks of changes in foreign currency exchange rates and interest rates.

There has been no change to the Group's and the Company's exposure to market risks or the manner in which these risks are managed and measured.

#### (i) Foreign currency risk management

The Group transacts business in various foreign currencies including United States Dollar ("USD"), Euro ("EURO"), Chinese Renminbi ("RMB"), Hong Kong Dollar ("HKD"), Swiss Franc ("CHF") and Great Britain Pound ("GBP") and therefore, is exposed to foreign exchange risk. The Group enters into foreign currency forward contracts to manage its exposure against foreign currency fluctuations on foreign receipts and payments.

The carrying amounts of the foreign currency denominated monetary assets and liabilities of the Group at the end of the reporting period are disclosed in Notes 19, 20, 23, 27, 28 and 29.

#### Foreign currency sensitivity analysis

The Group is mainly exposed to the currency of USD, EURO, RMB, HKD, CHF and GBP while the Company is mainly exposed to the currency of HKD. The management considers that the impact of other currencies to be minimal.

The following table details the sensitivity of the Group and of the Company to a 2.50% and 2.40% (2014: 1.30% and 1.30%) respectively increase/decrease in RM against the relevant foreign currencies. These sensitivity rates are used when reporting foreign currency risk internally to key management and represents management's assessment of the reasonably possible change in foreign exchange rates in the next 12 months.



#### 31. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS, FINANCIAL RISKS AND CAPITAL RISKS MANAGEMENT (cont'd)

Financial Risk Management Objectives and Policies (cont'd)

#### (a) Market risk (cont'd)

#### (i) Foreign currency risk management (cont'd)

Foreign currency sensitivity analysis (cont'd)

The following sensitivity analysis includes only outstanding foreign currency denominated monetary items. If the foreign currency denominated monetary items of the Group and of the Company at the end of the reporting period were translated into Ringgit Malaysia with a 2.50% and 2.40% (2014: 1.30% and 1.30%) fluctuation in the exchange rates against the following relevant foreign currencies respectively, the effect on profit net of tax in profit or loss and other reserve are as follows:

The Group	201	5	2014	
·	Profit or loss RM	Other reserve RM	Profit or loss RM	Other reserve RM
USD impact EURO impact	854,223 62,725	- 260,449	331,827 31,031	- 146,146
GBP impact HKD impact CHF impact	5,685 33 -	5,103 -	4,379	1,280 -
RMB impact  The Company		126,466	2,536	37,455
HKD impact			31,869	

The above impacts are mainly attributable to the exposure of the respective currencies on the financial instruments outstanding at the end of the reporting period in the Group and in the Company. In the opinion of the management, the sensitivity analysis is unrepresentative of the inherent foreign exchange risk as the year end exposure does not reflect the full exposure during the year.

#### (ii) Interest rate risk management

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of the Group's and of the Company's financial instruments will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates.

The Group and the Company finance their operations by a mixture of internal funds and bank and other borrowings. The Group and the Company regularly review the interest rate profile of borrowings against prevailing and anticipated market rates. The repayment and maturity profiles of borrowings are structured after taking into consideration of the cash inflows expected to be generated from the underlying assets or operations and the economic life of the assets or operations being financed.



#### 31. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS, FINANCIAL RISKS AND CAPITAL RISKS MANAGEMENT (cont'd)

Financial Risk Management Objectives and Policies (cont'd)

#### (a) Market risk (cont'd)

#### (ii) Interest rate risk management (cont'd)

The policy of the Group and of the Company are to borrow both on the fixed and floating rate basis. The objective for the mix between fixed and floating rate borrowings is set to reduce the impact of an upward change in interest rates while enabling benefits to be enjoyed if interest rates fall.

The details of the Group's and of the Company's fixed deposit and borrowings are as disclosed in Notes 23 and 27 respectively.

#### Interest rate sensitivity analysis

For illustration purposes, the analysis is prepared assuming the amounts of the asset and of the liability outstanding at the end of the reporting period were outstanding for the whole year. If the annual effective interest rates increase/decrease by the following basis points for the respective borrowings with all other variable including tax rate being held constant, the profit net of tax will be lower/higher by RM178,756 (2014: RM153,396).

	Basis	points
	2015	2014
Fixed deposit:		
Malaysia	25	6
Bills payable:		
Malaysia	39	10
People's Republic of China	50	50
Trust receipts:		
Malaysia	11	-
Bank overdrafts:		
Malaysia	25	25
Revolving credits:		
Malaysia	19	40
Term loans:		
Malaysia	24	30

The assumed movement in the basis points for interest rate sensitivity analysis is based on the currently observable market environment.





#### 31. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS, FINANCIAL RISKS AND CAPITAL RISKS MANAGEMENT (cont'd)

Financial Risk Management Objectives and Policies (cont'd)

#### (b) Credit risk management

Credit risk refers to the risk that a counterparty will default on its contractual obligations resulting in financial loss to the Group and to the Company. The Group and the Company have adopted a policy of only dealing with creditworthy counterparties and obtaining sufficient collateral where appropriate, as a mean of mitigating the risk of financial loss from defaults. The exposure of the Group to credit risk arises principally from its receivables and other financial assets while the exposure of the Company to credit risk arises from its intercompany balances, financial guarantees given to licensed banks for credit facilities granted to subsidiary companies and other financial assets.

#### Receivables

Trade receivables consist of a large number of customers, spread across diverse industries and geographical areas. Ongoing credit evaluation is performed on the financial condition of accounts receivables and, where appropriate, credit guarantee insurance cover is purchased.

As the Group does not hold any collateral, the maximum exposure to credit risk arising from receivables is represented by the carrying amounts in the statement of financial position.

A significant portion of trade receivables are regular customers of the Group. The Group uses ageing analysis to monitor the credit quality of the trade receivables. Trade receivables with balances exceeding credit limits are monitored through the holding back of new shipment until the old debts plus the new orders are within the credit limit.

For other receivables, management does not foresee any credit risk due to the nature of other receivables which comprise mainly advance payments made to suppliers and Chinese Government, as well as proceeds receivable from the Chinese Government.

The ageing of trade receivables that are past due and/or impaired is disclosed in Note 19.

#### Intercompany Balances

The Company provides unsecured advances to its subsidiary companies. There is no fixed repayment term imposed on intercompany balances as the credit risk is managed on a Group basis by the management of the Company to ensure that risk of losses incurred by the Company due to non-repayment by subsidiary companies, is minimal.

At the end of the reporting period, the maximum exposure to credit risk is represented by their carrying amounts in the statement of financial position.

At the end of the financial period, there was no indication that the balances due from subsidiary companies are not recoverable.





#### 31. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS, FINANCIAL RISKS AND CAPITAL RISKS MANAGEMENT (cont'd)

Financial Risk Management Objectives and Policies (cont'd)

#### (b) Credit risk management (cont'd)

Financial Guarantee

The Company provides unsecured financial guarantees to licensed banks in respect of credit facilities granted to subsidiary companies. The Company monitors on an ongoing basis the trend of repayments made by the subsidiary companies.

The maximum exposure to credit risk amounts to RM47,191,490 (2014: RM17,654,000) representing the outstanding balance of credit facilities of subsidiary companies in which financial guarantees are given by the Company as of the end of the reporting period.

At the end of the reporting period, there was no indication that the subsidiary companies will default on repayment.

Other Financial Assets

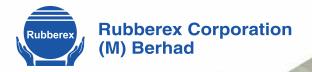
The credit risk on liquid funds are limited because the counterparties are banks with high creditratings assigned by international credit-rating agencies.

### (c) Liquidity and cash flow risks management

Ultimate responsibility for liquidity and cash flow risks management rests with the Board of Directors, which has built an appropriate liquidity and cash flow risks management framework for the management of the short, medium and long-term funding and liquidity management requirements of the Group and of the Company. The Group and the Company manage liquidity and cash flow risks by maintaining adequate reserves and banking facilities by continuously monitoring forecast and actual cash flows and matching the maturity profiles of financial assets and financial liabilities.

The Group and the Company expect that the cash generated from its operations, its existing credit facilities and the trade terms provided by its suppliers will be sufficient to meet the Group's and the Company's currently anticipated capital expenditure and working capital needs for at least the next 12 months. The Group and the Company may consider opportunities to obtain additional funds to support its working capital requirements and capital expenditures, or may seek to raise additional funds through equity financing.

The Group and the Company have credit facilities of approximately RM91,706,000 (2014: RM104,749,000) and RM37,625,000 (2014: RM42,000,000) respectively which are unused at the end of the reporting period.





#### 31. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS, FINANCIAL RISKS AND CAPITAL RISKS MANAGEMENT (cont'd)

Financial Risk Management Objectives and Policies (cont'd)

#### (c) Liquidity and cash flow risks management (cont'd)

The maturity profile of the Group's and of the Company's non-derivative financial assets and financial liabilities at the end of the reporting period based on contractual undiscounted repayment obligations are as follows:

The Group 2015	On demand or within one year RM	One year to five years RM	Over five years RM	Total RM
Non-derivative financial assets: Loans and receivables Cash and cash equivalents	63,476,050 21,201,808	<u>.</u>		63,476,050 21,201,808
Total undiscounted non-derivative financial assets	84,677,858		-	84,677,858
Non-derivative financial liabilities: Other financial liabilities	97,272,558	43,841,719		141,114,277
Net undiscounted non-derivative financial liabilities	(12,594,700)	(43,841,719)		(56,436,419)
The Group 2014				
Non-derivative financial assets: Loans and receivables Cash and cash equivalents	47,700,767 43,526,913	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	47,700,767 43,526,913
Total undiscounted non-derivative financial assets	91,227,680			91,227,680





## 31. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS, FINANCIAL RISKS AND CAPITAL RISKS MANAGEMENT (cont'd)

Financial Risk Management Objectives and Policies (cont'd)

### (c) Liquidity and cash flow risks management (cont'd)

The Group 2014	On demand or within one year RM	One year to five years RM	Over five years RM	Total RM
Non-derivative financial liabilities: Other financial liabilities	89,252,644	19,312,585	-	108,565,229
Net undiscounted non-derivative financial assets/(liabilities)	1,975,036	(19,312,585)		(17,337,549)
The Company 2015				
Non-derivative financial assets: Loans and receivables Cash and cash equivalents	9,724,095 1,550,390	-	-	9,724,095 1,550,390
Total undiscounted non-derivative financial assets	11,274,485			11,274,485
Non-derivative financial liabilities: Other financial liabilities	23,951,906	17,229,445	-	41,181,351
Net undiscounted non-derivative financial liabilities	(12,677,421)	(17,229,445)		(29,906,866)





#### 31. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS, FINANCIAL RISKS AND CAPITAL RISKS MANAGEMENT (cont'd)

Financial Risk Management Objectives and Policies (cont'd)

#### (c) Liquidity and cash flow risks management (cont'd)

	On demand or within one year RM	One year to five years RM	Over five years RM	Total RM
The Company 2014				
Non-derivative financial assets:				
Loans and receivables Cash and cash equivalents	6,515,428 10,742,830	- -	-	6,515,428 10,742,830
Total undiscounted				
financial assets	17,258,258		-	17,258,258
Non-derivative financial liabilities:				
Other financial liabilities	41,861,739	12,934,495		54,796,234
Net undiscounted non-derivative				
financial liabilities	(24,603,481)	(12,934,495)	-	(37,537,976)

All derivative financial assets/(liabilities) of the Group mature within one year from the end of the reporting period.

#### (d) Capital risk management

The Group and the Company manage their capital to ensure the Group and the Company will be able to continue as a going concern while maximising the return to stakeholders through the optimisation of the debt and equity balance. The Group's and the Company's overall strategy remain unchanged from 2014.

The capital structure of the Group and of the Company consists of net debt and equity. The Group and the Company are not subject to any externally imposed capital requirements.

The Group is complied with the disclosure and necessary capital requirements as prescribed in the Main Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad.



#### 31. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS, FINANCIAL RISKS AND CAPITAL RISKS MANAGEMENT (cont'd)

Financial Risk Management Objectives and Policies (cont'd)

#### (d) Capital risk management (cont'd)

#### Gearing ratio

The gearing ratio at the end of the reporting period is as follows:

	The Group		The Company	
	2015 RM	2014 RM	2015 RM	2014 RM
Debt (i) Fixed deposits, cash	82,247,617	68,303,468	25,875,000	45,500,000
and bank balances	(21,156,958)	(43,526,913)	(1,505,540)	(10,742,830)
Net debt	61,090,659	24,776,555	24,369,460	34,757,170
Equity (ii)	246,204,369	206,187,094	187,343,317	161,888,815
Net debt to equity ratio	0.25	0.12	0.13	0.21

<sup>(</sup>i) Debt is defined as borrowings.

## Fair values of financial instruments

#### Foreign currency forward contracts

The notional amounts and estimated fair values of the Group's foreign currency forward contracts outstanding at the end of the reporting period are as follows:

	Outstanding contracts			
2015	Sell USD	Sell EURO	Buy USD	Net
Foreign currency Notional value (RM) Fair value (RM)	10,805 47,542 1,008	6,657 28,394 (2,828)	(102,081) (442,825) (3,545)	(5,365)
2014				
Foreign currency Notional value (RM) Fair value (RM)	12,085,858 40,044,398 (2,302,475)	3,200,000 13,443,878 (170,723)	(31,912) (102,464) 9,118	(2,464,080)

The fair values of foreign currency forward contracts, which are categorised as Level 2 in the fair value hierarchy, are calculated by reference to the current rates for contracts with similar maturity profiles.

<sup>(</sup>ii) Equity includes all capital and reserves of the Group and of the Company that are managed as capital.



#### 31. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS, FINANCIAL RISKS AND CAPITAL RISKS MANAGEMENT (cont'd)

#### Financial instruments carried at amortised cost

The carrying amounts of short-term financial assets and financial liabilities approximate their respective fair values due to the relatively short-term maturity of these financial instruments.

The fair values of term loans, which are categorised as Level 2 in the fair value hierarchy, are estimated using discounted cash flow analysis based on the current borrowing rates for similar types of term loan arrangements. There is no material difference between the carrying amounts and the estimated fair values of term loans.

There were no transfers between Levels 1 and 2 in 2015.

#### 32. STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

#### (a) Purchase of property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment were acquired by the following means:

	The Group	
	2015 RM	2014 RM
Cash purchase Capitalisation of term loan interest (Note 11) Balance outstanding - other payables	52,735,956 399,151 10,095,925	24,859,338 - -
	63,231,032	24,859,338

#### (b) Cash and cash equivalents

For the purposes of the statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand and in banks, net of outstanding bank overdrafts. Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the reporting period as shown in the statement of cash flows can be reconciled to the related items in the statements of financial position as follows:

	The C	Group	The Company	
	2015 RM	2014 RM	2015 RM	2014 RM
Fixed deposits with a licensed bank Cash and other	1,300,000	1,300,000	1,300,000	1,300,000
bank balances Bank overdrafts	19,856,958 (6,822,513)	42,226,913 (504,391)	205,540	9,442,830
	14,334,445	43,022,522	1,505,540	10,742,830





#### 33. CAPITAL COMMITMENTS

As of the end of the reporting period, the Group has the following commitment in respect of property, plant and equipment:

	2015 RM	2014 RM
Capital expenditure: Approved and contracted for	3,665,805	12,214,669

#### 34. OPERATING LEASE ARRANGEMENTS

At the end of the reporting period, the Group has outstanding commitments under non-cancellable operating leases, which fall due as follows:

	2015 RM	2014 RM
Within one year In the second to fifth year inclusive	578,836 1,018,696	545,179 1,544,673
	1,597,532	2,089,852

Operating lease payments represent rentals payable by the Group for warehouse and office. Leases are negotiated for terms of five years (2014: five years) with an option to renew the lease after that date.





# 35. SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION - DISCLOSURE ON REALISED AND UNREALISED PROFITS OR LOSSES

The breakdown of the retained earnings of the Group and of the Company as of December 31, 2015 into realised and unrealised profits or losses, pursuant to the directive issued by Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad on March 25, 2010, is as follows:

	The	Group	The Company		
	2015	2014	2015	2014	
	RM	RM	RM	RM	
Total retained earnings of the Company and its subsidiary companies					
Realised	66,236,949	55,579,681	11,737,018	16,267,985	
Unrealised	32,084,271	1,191,584	31,463,240	3,066,121	
Add: Consolidation	98,321,220	56,771,265	43,200,528	19,334,106	
adjustments	(47,314,657)	(13,818,874)		-	
Total retained earnings as per statements of financial position	51,006,563	42,952,391	43,200,528	19,334,106	
ιπαπειαι ροσιτίοπ	31,000,303	42,332,331	45,200,320	19,554,100	

The determination of realised and unrealised profits or losses is based on Guidance of Special Matter No. 1 "Determination of Realised and Unrealised Profits or Losses in the Context of Disclosure Pursuant to Bursa Securities Listing Requirements" as issued by the Malaysian Institute of Accountants on December 20, 2010.

This supplementary information has been made solely for complying with the disclosure requirements as stipulated in the directives of Bursa Malaysia and is not made for any other purposes.





## **Statement by Directors**

The directors of **RUBBEREX CORPORATION (M) BERHAD** state that, in their opinion, the accompanying financial statements are drawn up in accordance with Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards, International Financial Reporting Standards and the provisions of the Companies Act, 1965 in Malaysia so as to give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Group and of the Company as of December 31, 2015 and of the financial performance and the cash flows of the Group and of the Company for the year ended on that date.

The supplementary information set out in Note 35, which is not part of the financial statements, is prepared in all material respects, in accordance with Guidance on Special Matter No. 1 "Determination of Realised and Unrealised Profits or Losses in the Context of Disclosure Pursuant to Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad Listing Requirements" as issued by the Malaysian Institute of Accountants and the directive of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Directors,

MR. KHOO CHIN LENG

#### **DATO' ABD RAHIM BIN ABD HALIM**

Ipoh,

April 4, 2016

## **Declaration by the Director**

Primarily Responsible for the Financial Management of the Company

I, MR. KHOO CHIN LENG (IC No. 590509-07-5615), the director primarily responsible for the financial management of RUBBEREX CORPORATION (M) BERHAD, do solemnly and sincerely declare that the accompanying financial statements are, in my opinion, correct and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of the Statutory Declarations Act, 1960.

#### MR. KHOO CHIN LENG

Subscribed and solemnly declared by the abovenamed **MR. KHOO CHIN LENG** at **IPOH** this 4th day of April, 2016.

Before me,

KONG WAI NGEE (A213) COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS

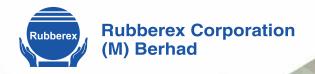




## **Properties Held By The Company And Its Subsidiaries**

as at 31 December 2015

Location	Tenure/ Expiry Date	Description of existing use	Land area (sq. m)	Date of Acquisition/ [Revaluation]	Age (years)/ Carrying amount (RM'000)
Lot 228174, Mukim Hulu Kinta, Kawasan Perindustrian Bercham, Bercham, Ipoh, Perak Darul Ridzuan, Malaysia.	Freehold/-	Manufacturing, warehouse and office	37,258	[1996]	21.5/3,545
Lot 218274, Mukim Hulu Kinta, Kawasan Perindustrian Bercham, Bercham, Ipoh, Perak Darul Ridzuan, Malaysia.	Leasehold (60 years)/ 23 April 2055	Manufacturing, warehouse and office	32,382	1999	17.0/1,065
Lot 383268, Mukim Hulu Kinta, Kawasan Perindustrian Bercham, Bercham, Ipoh, Perak Darul Ridzuan, Malaysia.	Leasehold (99 years)/ 23 December 2106	Manufacturing, warehouse and office	12,141	2007	8.0/231
Plot 010169, 010170 Daxiotang Village, Luoyang Town, Buluo County, Huizhou City, Guangdong Province, People's Republic of China.	Leasehold (50 years)/ 29 November 2056	Manufacturing, warehouse and office	104,597	2006	10.0/9,251
Plot 010984, Daxiotang Village, Luoyang Town, Buluo County, Huizhou City, Guangdong Province, People's Republic of China.	Leasehold (50 years)/ 29 June 2055	Manufacturing, warehouse and office	41,115	2007	9.0/4,795
Factory buildings located at Lot 228174, Mukim Hulu Kinta, Kawasan Perindustrian Bercham, Bercham, Ipoh, Perak Darul Ridzuan, Malaysia.	-	Manufacturing, warehouse and office	12,620	[1996]	21.5/1,882
Factory buildings located at Lot 218274, Mukim Hulu Kinta, Kawasan Perindustrian Bercham, Bercham, Ipoh, Perak Darul Ridzuan, Malaysia.	-	Manufacturing, warehouse and office	10,860	1999	17.0/8,466
Factory buildings located at Daxiotang Village, Luoyang Town, Buluo County, Huizhou City, Guangdong Province, People's Republic of China.		Manufacturing warehouse and office	71,512	2006	10.0/40,171





Form of Proxy	CDS Account No.	No of Sh	No of Shares Held	
1/44		T. I.		
I/We, [Full name in block, NRIC No./Com		Tel:		
of	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,			
being a member/members of RUBBEREX COR	RPORATION (M) BERHAD, hereby appoint:			
Full Name (in Block)	NRIC/Passport No.	Proportion of Shareholdings		
		No. of Shares	%	
Address				
and/or (delete as appropriate)				
Full Name (in Block)	NRIC/Passport No.	Proportion of Shareholdings		
		No. of Shares	%	
Address				
or failing him THE CHAIRMAN OF THE MEETII	NG as my/our proxy to yote for me/us and	l on my/our behalf at t	the Twentiet	

Annual General Meeting of the Company to be held at The Rooms, Level 1, Impiana Hotel, 18 Jalan Sultan Nazrin Shah, 30250 Ipoh, Perak Darul Ridzuan on Monday, 23 May 2016 at 10:00 a.m. and at any adjournment thereof, and to vote as indicated below:

Resolution		For	Against
1.	Adoption of Audited Financial Statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2015		
2.	To approve the payment of Directors' fees		
3.	Re-election of Director – En. Sharifuddin bin Shoib		
4.	Re-election of Director – Mr. Yap Jek Nan		
5.	Re-appointment of Director – Dato' Mohamed bin Hamzah		
6.	To appoint Auditors and to authorise the Directors to fix their remuneration		
7.	Authority to issue shares pursuant to Section 132D of the Companies Act, 1965		
8.	Proposed Renewal of Authority for RUBBEREX CORPORATION (M) BERHAD to purchase its own ordinary shares of RM0.50 each representing up to 10% of the issued and paid-up share capital of the Company		

Please indicate with a cross (x) in the space provided whether you wish your votes to be cast for or against the Resolutions. In the absence of specific direction, your proxy will vote or abstain as he thinks fit.

Dated this	day of	2016
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#### Signature of Shareholder/Common Seal

- A member of the Company entitled to attend and vote at the meeting is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote in his stead. A proxy may but need not be a member of the Company and the provision of Section 149 (1) (b) of the Companies Act, 1965 shall not apply to the Company. A member shall not be entitled to appoint more than two proxies to attend at the same meeting. Where a member appoints two proxies, the appointments shall be invalid unless he specifies the proportion of his holdings to be represented by

- to attend at the same meeting. Where a member appoints two proxies, the appointments shall be invalid unless he specifies the proportion of his holdings to be represented by each proxy. If a member having appointed a proxy to attend a general meeting attends such meeting in person, the appointment of such proxy shall be null and void in respect of such meeting and his proxy shall not be entitled to attend such meeting. Where a member of the Company is an authorised nominee as defined in the Securities Industry (Central Depositories) Act, 1991 ("SICDA"), it may appoint not more than two (2) proxies in respect of each securities account it holds in ordinary shares of the Company standing to the credit of the said securities account. Where a member of the Company is an exempt authorised nominee which holds ordinary shares in the Company for multiple beneficial owners in one (1) securities account ("omnibus account"), there is no limit to the number of proxies which the exempt authorised nominee may appoint in respect of each omnibus account it holds. An exempt authorised nominee refers to an authorised nominee defined under SICDA which is exempted from compliance with the provisions of subsection 25A (1) of SICDA. Where a member or the authorised nominee appoints two (2) proxies, or where an exempt authorised nominee appoints two (2) or more proxies, the proportion of shareholdings to be represented by each proxy must be specified in the instrument appointing the proxies.

  The instrument appointing a proxy, with the power of attorney or other authority (if any) under which it is signed or a notarially certified or office copy of such power or authority, shall be deposited at the Company's registered office at 41, Jalan Medan Joh 6, Bandar Baru Medan Ipoh, 31400 Ipoh, Perak Darul Ridzuan not less than forty eight (48) hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting or adjourned meeting, as the case may be, at which the person named as proxy in such instrument proposes to vote, or in the case of a poll, not



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# The Company Secretary RUBBEREX CORPORATION (M) BERHAD (372642-U)

41, Jalan Medan Ipoh 6 Bandar Baru Medan Ipoh, 31400 Ipoh, Perak Darul Ridzuan, Malaysia.

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